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# Specialties in Vegetable Seeds.

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## NEW SWEET CORN—GOLDEN NUGGET.

A grand new golden Sweet Corn and an excellent companion to Golden Bantam, coming into use just after that variety. The stalks grow larger, and stronger than Golden Bantam and the ears are much larger, the kernels are long and deep, the cob small and the color is a rich creamy yellow. The quality is very fine, being remarkably sweet and tender and remaining so for a long time. This variety is a general favorite wherever grown. Owing to the long drought the past season our seed crop was small, and we are able to offer in small quantities only.

Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts.

## NEW SWEET CORN—GOLDEN BANTAM.

This grand variety although introduced several years ago, is worthy of heading the list; it has become so popular that market gardeners and truckers have practically no call for any other variety when this is in the market. It is especially valuable for the North, as it is so hardy it can be planted with the earliest crops. Its general growth is dwarf, the stalks averaging about four feet in height; the ears average 5 to 7 inches in length, but what it lacks in size is more than made up in productiveness and quality. The color is a creamy white when ready for use, turning to an orange yellow when ripe; its crowning feature is the extreme sweetness and tenderness of its kernels. By successive plantings it may be had from August 1st until frost.

Per  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint, 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

## BET—CRIMSON GLOBE.

A fine variety which has become a general favorite among market gardeners and others who cater to a high class trade. It is a medium early variety, does not grow large or coarse, but is of medium size and of good shape. The flesh and skin are dark red in color, and very sweet and tender when cooked. The tops are small and red in color.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$2.00.

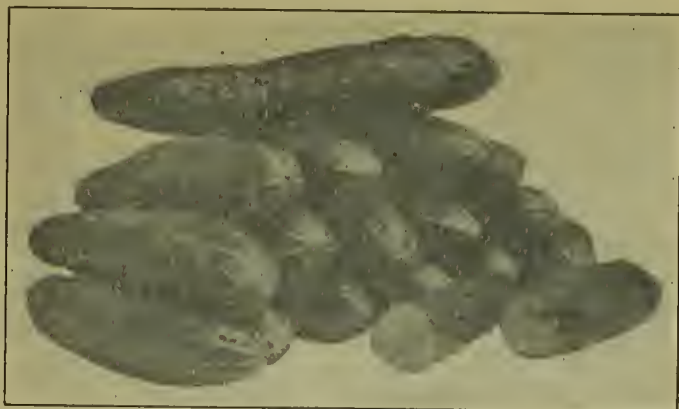


Beet—Crimson Globe.



**NEW CUCUMBER—DAVIS PERFECT.**

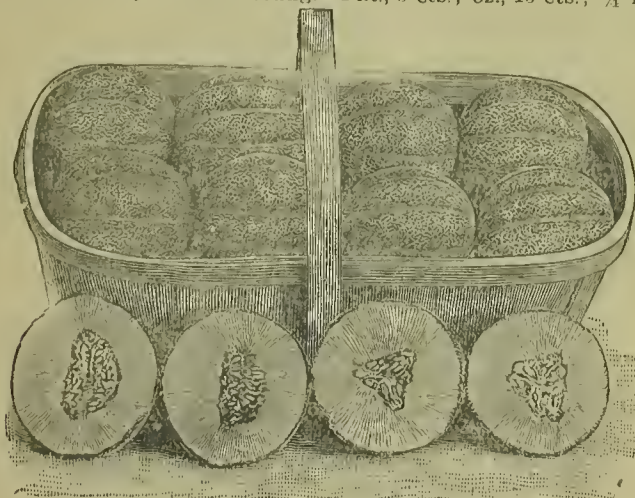
This new variety beats all others in point of beauty, quality and productiveness. It loads its vines so heavily that it seems almost impossible for them to mature their fruits, which are of a beautiful dark green color, of handsome shape and of the finest quality, bringing the highest prices in the large city markets. One of the finest varieties for table use and equally good for pickles. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.



Davis Perfect Cucumber.

**MUSK MELON—IMPROVED ROCKYFORD.**

An improved form of that popular and delicious Melon which is now so well known and is served in its season at all the high class hotels and restaurants. The Melons are of uniform size, about 5 inches in diameter and are of the most delicious flavor. Flesh is smooth grained, light green in color and can be eaten right to the rind. The skin is green and almost covered with a silvery-colored netting. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.



Musk Melon—Improved Rockyford.

## ONION.

## White Globe.

A thoroughbred strain of this handsomest and most popular variety grown; of beautiful silvery white color, perfectly globe shaped, uniform in size and averaging 2 to 3 inches in diameter; flesh firm, fine grained and of mild pleasant flavor. Our seed of this was grown from carefully selected bulbs and cannot be beaten.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.75.



Onion—White Globe.

smooth, of large size and firm flesh with few seeds; on account of its distinct globe shape it is very desirable for slicing. It is, among the first to ripen its fruit, is exceedingly productive, having plants with many short joints at which large clusters containing 3 to 7 fruit are almost invariably found. In quality there is nothing more to be desired, being mild, pleasant and of agreeable flavor. The fact of its originating with the Livingston of tomato fame is sufficient proof of its value.

Per pkt., 10 cts.;  
oz., 40 cts.

## TOMATO.

## Livingston's Globe.

This beautiful variety is of distinct globe shape and always



Livingston's Globe Tomato.

## General Collection of Vegetable Seeds.

In the following list will be found a collection of the best standard varieties of Vegetable Seeds. We have endeavored to list, not as many as we could, but only the best and most distinct. Many catalogues contain a long list of varieties that are so similar that it would take an expert to distinguish them. The varieties listed here are only those that we know are not only first class, but well adapted to our short seasons. Our prices are low considering quality; we do not handle cheap seed at any price. If you want cheap seeds, apply to your Representative in Congress, who will supply you free, with about as cheap (considering quality) seeds as it is possible to procure anywhere. The best seeds are the cheapest in the end, as more than 90% of the cost growing a crop is in land and labor, and it costs no more to grow a good crop than a poor one. We have for many years supplied many of the market gardeners in this section of the State with large quantities of seeds and our constantly increasing trade in this line is the best evidence of the quality of our seeds.

Special Prices will be quoted on application, to large planters and market gardeners using large quantities of seeds.



Asparagus—Conover's Colossal.

Free by Mail. All seeds in packets, and quarter pounds are sent postage paid. Postage will be charged at the rate of 8 cents per pound on one-half pound and upward of one variety. Peas and Beans at the rate of 15 cents per quart.

### ASPARAGUS.

#### Conover's Colossal.

The standard variety, shoots of the largest size, good quality and very productive.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

#### Columbian Mammoth White.

A new variety, producing large white stalks of the finest quality.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

### BEANS.

**Improved Golden Wax.** Probably the most popular variety of Dwarf Bush Wax Beans, and although introduced in 1876 is undoubtedly superior to any variety in its class today. It is practically rust proof, very early and productive, with long broad fleshy pods of a rich golden yellow color, cooking quickly as a snap bean or equally good as a shell bean. Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.50.





Improved Golden Wax Bean.

**Improved Round Pod Valentine.** The standard green podded variety. Very early and prolific, pods remarkably tender and fleshy.  
Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$6.00.

**Stringless Green Pod.** A grand early green podded variety and superior to any other variety grown. It is very productive, the pods are long, very fleshy and solid, and are of a beautiful shade of green and absolutely stringless, even when fully matured. Positively the best and earliest green bush bean grown.  
Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.50.

**Wardwell's Kidney Wax.** One of the best wax beans, of strong upright bush growth, bearing long flat pods of a delicate, waxy yellow, very tender and absolutely stringless, very productive.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

**Henderson's Bush Lima.** The most valuable variety for this climate. Very early, being fit to use weeks ahead of the old pole Limas; very productive and of excellent quality.  
Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

**Seibert's Large Early Lima.** A very early and prolific strain of large Limas, and the only variety that can be depended on to produce a crop in this latitude. The pods are of medium length and well filled with large, fleshy beans of the finest flavor.  
Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts.

#### BEETS.

**Crimson Globe.** A remarkably fine variety on account of its smooth skin and fine shape. We have had it on trial for several seasons and find it a very desirable variety. It is a second early, does not grow large and coarse, and the flesh is sweet and tender. The color is a rich dark blood red. The tops are small and dark in color.  
Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.00.



CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN—SELECTED STOCK.

**Crosby's Egyptian.** An improved form of the early Egyptian. An extra early variety of fine quality, uniform size and perfect shape. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.



DETROIT DARK RED BEET.

**Detroit Dark Red.** A very choice variety of globular shape and small tops, skin and flesh bright red, tender and sweet.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.

**Eclipse.** Smooth and round fine grained and of excellent quality. Very early. The best for table use.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45 cts.; lb., \$1.50.

**Sugar Beet, Danish Improved.** The roots grow to a large size and are of very heavy weight; they are rich in sugar and most desirable for stock feeding. The roots are oval and pink in color. Lb., 50 cts.

**Mammoth Red Mangel.** The best variety for stock feeding and the largest and heaviest of all Mangels; skin bright dark red. Lb., 50 cts.

#### BRUSSEL SPROUTS.

This highly esteemed vegetable produces sprouts or miniature cabbages the whole length of the stem. These sprouts are a great delicacy, boiled in the same way as cauliflower. It is ready for use in the fall after early frosts. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.



## CABBAGE.

There is no vegetable in which the quality of the seed exerts so much influence as in the Cabbage. Our seed is procured from the best cabbage seed growers, who have a reputation for the best stocks. There is no reason why any one should not have plenty of Cabbage. They are easily grown from seed. Select a nice clean loamy soil for a seed bed and sow the seed in rows a foot apart. When the plants are three or four inches high, plant out in their permanent location.

**Early Winningstadt.** An old favorite, good for early or late use, pointed head.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.

**Early Jersey Wakefield.** The standard early variety. More of this variety is planted for early market than all other varieties combined. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.



Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage.

**All Head Early.** The earliest of the large heading or drum head cabbage. The heads are deep and solid, very uniform in size and of excellent quality.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 70c.

**Short Stem Drumhead.** A fine main crop variety, very short stem and compact growth. The heads are large and solid and very uniform in size and shape.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c.

**Premium Flat Dutch.** The standard winter variety, very large and solid, and an excellent keeper.

Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.



All Head Early Cabbage.



Premium Flat Dutch Cabbage.

**Surehead.** A later variety noted for its reliability in heading. The heads grow large, firm and fine in texture and weigh from 10 to 15 lbs. each. Excellent keeper. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Danish Ball Head.** This hard-headed variety originally came from Denmark where it is largely grown for shipment to distant markets. It is of medium size, round as a ball, as hard as a rock and an excellent keeper. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Autumn King.** Esteemed by many as the finest late cabbage for Fall and Winter use. It is extremely large, frequently weighing 25 pounds when grown in good soil. Very solid and an excellent keeper.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.



**Danver's Half Long.**

**Red Dutch.** The popular red pickling variety.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

#### CARROT.

**Danver's Half Long.** A handsome orange carrot of large size and fine quality. Will yield the greatest weight per acre, with the shortest length of root, of any other variety.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.00.

**Early Oxheart of Guerande.** A desirable early variety with short thick roots of excellent quality. A grand variety to grow in heavy soil.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.00.

#### CAULIFLOWER.

There is no reason why this delicious vegetable should not be more generally grown in this latitude, as they are easily grown, requiring about the same culture as cabbage, but must have rich moist soil. The seed can be sown any time up to June 10th. Our seed is grown in Denmark and the grower spares no time nor expense in developing his stocks, as the best Cauliflowers produce seed very sparingly. The seed from such a strain as ours is consequently high in price.



**Early Snowball Cauliflower.**

**Early Snowball.** This is without doubt the earliest and best strain of this popular variety, and under favorable conditions nearly every plant will make a fine head. While very early, it is also the best for late planting on account of its reliability in heading up.  
Per pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$2.25.

**Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt.** Very dwarf and early, very few plants fail to produce solid pure white heads of the finest quality.  
Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$2.25.

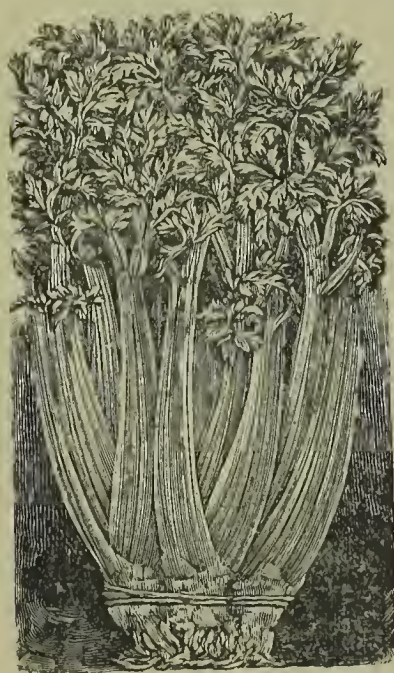
**Large Late Algiers.** A strong growing late variety, producing large solid white heads late in fall. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.; oz., 75 cts.

### CELERY.

**Golden Self Blanching.** On account of its superior qualities and general excellence, this variety is now the leading sort in all high class markets; the handsome color, crispness, freedom from stringiness, and rich nutty flavor make it the standard for all purposes. While not quite as early as White Plume, it outclasses that variety in all other respects. We have a very fine strain of seed grown by the originator in France.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.50.

**White Plume.** The standard early variety. On account of its white leaves and stalks it requires very little earthing up to blanch it.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

**Giant Pascal.** An extra large variety and the best for winter use. The stalks are very large, solid, crisp and of the richest nutty flavor.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.



Golden Self Blanching Celery.

**Winter Queen.** A grand winter Celery that is becoming very popular on account of its compact sturdy growth, rich, nutty flavor and excellent keeping qualities.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

**New Rose.** Solid and crisp, stalks a beautiful light rose color. A late keeper and surpasses the white varieties in richness of flavor.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

### CORN.

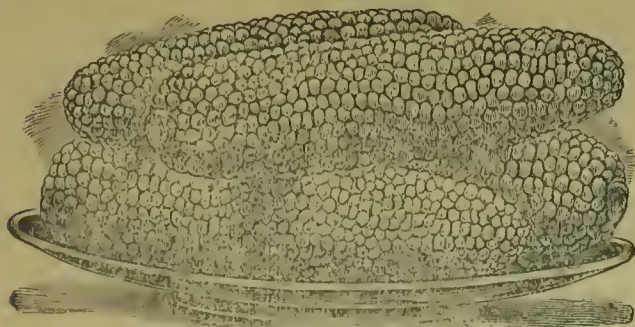
**White Cob Cory.** An improvement of the Cory corn, with white cob and kernels. It is fully as early as the older variety, with ears of larger size.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

**Early Crosby.** A favorite early variety, coming right in after Cory. Very productive, ears medium sized and of a rich sugary flavor.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bu., \$4.00.



**Squantum, or Potter's Excelsior.** A fine second early variety, and one of the sweetest and most productive; ears medium size.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.



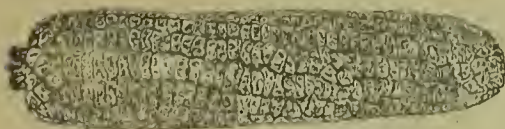
Country Gentleman Corn.

**Country Gentleman.** One of the finest varieties for table use. The ears are eight to ten inches long, cob very small and kernels of great depth; quality delicious.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.50.

**Golden Bantam.** Undoubtedly the best extra early Sweet Corn ever introduced. For description see page 1.

Half pint, 15 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75.



Early Evergreen Corn.

**Early Evergreen.** This excellent new variety ripens ten to twelve days earlier than the well-known and popular Stowell's Evergreen and is equally as good for all purposes. The kernels are sweet and tender and remain a long

time in condition to use. The ears are almost as large as the Stowell's with the same deep, narrow kernels as that variety.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.

**Stowell's Evergreen.** The standard late variety for home use or market. Ears very large, completely filled with large deep kernels of the finest flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.

#### CUCUMBER.

One ounce will plant fifty hills; two pounds will plant one acre.

**Cumber'and Pickling.** The fruits are of handsome appearance, straight and symmetrical and set with fine spines over the entire surface. The flesh is firm, crisp and tender, with a fine flavor. An excellent variety for slicing or for pickles.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

**Early White Spine.** The most popular variety for table or market. Very early, productive and of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

**Chicago Pickling.** The best variety for pickles; very productive, medium sized deep green fruits.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; 1 lb., 85 cts.

**Davis' Perfect.** A grand new variety. For description see page 11.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.



Extra Long Green Cucumber.

**Extra Long Green.**

A fine variety producing smooth regular fruits 10 to 12 inches long, of excellent quality, producing very few seeds. A valuable variety for

table or market use. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

**EGG PLANT.**

**New York Improved.** The leading market variety, very large, productive and of good quality. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 35 cts.

**LETTUCE.**

**Boston Market.** The earliest heading variety; fine large smooth leaves; excellent for planting in hot beds or first crop in the garden. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.



Lettuce—Big Boston.

**Big Boston.** A very popular large heading variety, equally good for hot bed or garden. It heads well in the open ground during the spring and fall, and is quite tender and solid.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.

**Black Seeded Simpson.** Large loose heads of tender golden yellow leaves. One of the best for forcing.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.

**Wonderful.** Large white heads frequently weighing 2 or 3 lbs. each; very crisp and tender; one of the best for summer planting. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.



Lettuce—Wonderful.

**Grand Rapids.** The best variety for forcing for market. It matures quickly, and retains its freshness a long time after being cut. Very large loose head. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.

### MUSK MELONS.

Musk Melons should be more largely grown in the Northern States. Their culture is not difficult, and our seasons are long enough to produce a fine crop of the best quality of Melons, if given good culture and a rich mellow soil. To prevent the attacks of insects when young is the greatest difficulty in growing all vine crops, but by planting plenty of seed to the hill and thoroughly dusting the young plants with air slacked lime, land plaster or fine road dust, will always insure a stand; when danger from insects is over, pull out all but three plants to the hill and keep ground well cultivated without disturbing the vines. Plant in hills 4 to 6 feet apart.



**Musk Melon—Defender.**

superior variety for the home garden and one of the best for market. Per pkt. 5 cts.; ounce, 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.

**Defender.** Handsome in appearance oval in form; of regular, even size and finely netted. They are medium in size, averaging 7 inches in length and have a diameter of about 5 inches. The flesh is salmon colored, firm, fine grained, rich and of excellent flavor, and retains its quality to the very shell. The vines are vigorous and productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.

**Paul Rose.** One of the best Musk Melons introduced in many years; very early, extra quality, thick salmon colored flesh, and very productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.

**Rocky Ford.** An improvement on Netted Gem. Very early, delicious deep-green flesh, ripening close to the rind; medium size.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.25.

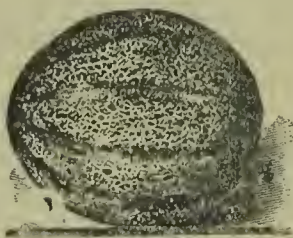
**Bay View.** Very large oblong fruits, about a foot in length and six inches in diameter. The fruits have broad heavy ribs well netted, and light green flesh of good flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.

**Montreal Market.** The largest of the Nutmeg varieties. Very large, almost round, quality delicious; flesh green and very delicate; early and productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

### MUSK MELON.

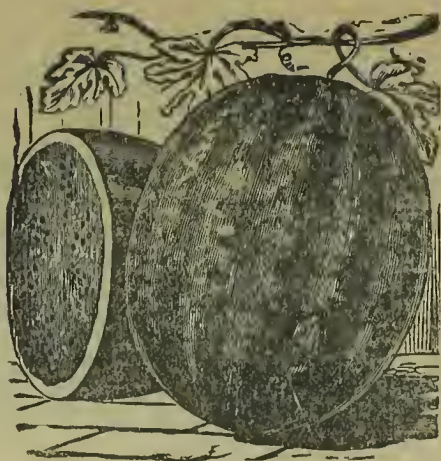
#### Burrel's Gem.

This variety comes from the famous Rocky Ford district of Colorado where the finest melons are grown, and whose reputation for growing the finest melons is known the country over. The melons grow to a desirable size, are closely netted with thin rind and thick lining of orange colored flesh of the most delicious flavor; a superior variety for the home garden and one of the best for market. Per pkt.



**Paul Rose Musk Melon.**





Cole's Early.

with a thin rind. Our seed has been saved from the earliest and best fruits and has been grown in this Northern climate. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.

**Hungarian Honey Improved.** An excellent variety that will easily mature its fruit in the North. The Melons grow nearly round in shape, skin dark green, flesh rich red with a delicious flavor, very sugary melting. While not large enough for market purposes, it is one of the best for home use on account of its quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.

**Kleckley's Sweet.** A good variety, unsurpassed for home use. The fruits are oval in form, dark green in color, with bright scarlet flesh and exceedingly sweet. This variety is so crisp and tender it will not stand shipping. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.

**Citron.** A large fruiting strain for preserving; flesh white and solid. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.

**Fordhook Early.** The earliest large melon, and as good or better than the large southern varieties; flesh bright red of fine flavor, and very sweet; color, plain green. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.

**Phinney's Early.** A very early variety; medium and uniform size, and a beautiful form. The skin is smooth with white mottled and dark green stripes. Flesh light red or pink, sweet and delicious. One of the very best for home use. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.



Phinney's Early.

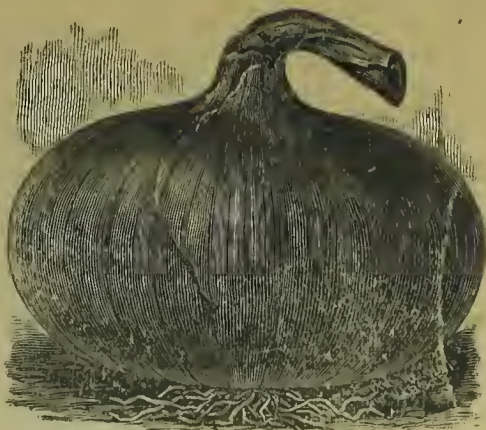
## WATERMELON.

In regard to the growth of this crop, the same may be said of these as of Musk Melon, they should be more largely grown in the North, as with the early varieties offered below and good rich soil a fine crop can be grown. These should be given more room than Musk Melons; 6 to 8 feet would be about right.

**Cole's Early.** Absolutely the best and earliest variety for our Northern climate. The flesh is bright red, delicate in texture while the flavor is equal to if not superior to the best of the improved southern varieties. The vines are vigorous and productive, producing good size melons

## ONION.

Probably no vegetable is more widely known than the Onion, and with no vegetable is it more necessary to have good seed. It is many times better to sow none at all than to sow much of the worthless stuff that is commonly sold. Our seed is procured from a grower who uses only large well ripened and uniform shaped bulbs, properly wintered and harvested. If you buy Onion seed buy only the best whether you buy from us or not. First quality seed can never be low in price.



Australian Brown Onion.



Select Yellow Globe Danvers Onion.

**Australian Brown.** It is very quick to mature, ripening two or three weeks earlier than the old varieties. Its keeping quality is remarkable, keeping in good condition when all other varieties are gone. The bulbs are medium to large in size and shape, and mild flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.25.

**Extra Early Red.** An abundant yielder and a good keeper. The bulbs are medium size, rich red color solid and heavy; being a flat variety they will mature in cold heavy soil better than most varieties.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

**Large White Globe.** Pure white, true globe shape, mild flavor and a good keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.75.

**Red Wethersfield.** The standard large red variety, almost round; fine grained and a good keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.60.

**Yellow Danvers.** A selected strain combining earliness with very large yield. A grand market variety and can be grown in most locations where globe shaped varieties will not ripen. Bulbs are flat with pale yellowish skin with crisp white flesh of mild flavor.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

**Yellow Globe Danvers.** The standard yellow variety; an excellent keeper and very productive; true globe shape and uniform size.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

**Mammoth Prize Taker.** A variety of immense size, pale yellow in color, mild flavor and an immense yield.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.75.

**White Portugal.** A standard variety on account of its early ripening qualities. A good keeper and mild and sweet in flavor. When seed is sown thickly and not thinned, is very desirable for pickles.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.

#### ONION SETS.

These are very small Onions which should be planted early in spring and will produce green onions or large bulbs much quicker and surer than seeds. We have a fine lot of home grown sets.

**Yellow Sets.** Price: Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 15 cts.

**White Sets.** Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 20 cts.

**Red Sets.** Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 15 cts.

If sent by mail, add 10 cts. per qt. for postage.

Onion Sets are subject to market changes. If larger quantities are wanted, will quote firm price at any time.

#### PARSLEY.

**Moss Curled.** A compact growing variety, beautifully curled and crimped, excellent for garnishing or flavoring. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

#### PARSNIP.

**Hollow Crown.** The best for general use. Large smooth roots of uniform size. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

#### SEED POTATOES.

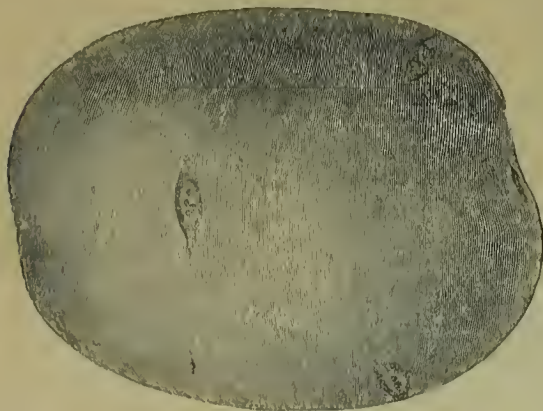
We do not aim to supply a long list of varieties, but those we do offer are all proven kinds. As is well known Potatoes grown in the North are the best for seed. There is profit as well as satisfaction in planting the best varieties, and the increased yield secured from a change of seed most always pays for the seed itself.

**Hustler.** This variety grows larger, yields more large potatoes, and ripens more uniformly than most other extra early kinds. Its large plump, chunky, smooth and handsome tubers are among the first to market at the highest price. They are excellent cookers, heavy yielders, good keepers, remaining sound and firm until summer.  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  peck, 40 cts.; peck, 75 cts.; bushel, \$2.25.



Hollow Crown  
Parsnip.





Irish Cobbler Potato.

**Irish Cobbler.** An excellent early variety, maturing good size tubers seven weeks from planting. It has a remarkable characteristic of producing very few if any small potatoes, all being of marketable size. The flesh is pure white, with a clean smooth skin. In quality they are excellent, always cooking dry and mealy. They are grand keepers, remaining solid and firm until planting time again.

Price:  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck, 40 cts.; peck, 75 cts.; bu., \$2.25.

**Sir Walter Raleigh.** The best of all the rural varieties, and a very profitable all around main crop potato, noted for yield, size, smoothness and handsome appearance. Tubers are large, seldom any small ones, nearly round in shape, but somewhat flattened; skin pure white, eyes few and very shallow; almost blight proof and a sure and heavy yielder in any soil. Price:  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck, 35 cts.; peck, 60 cts.; bushel, \$2.00.

#### PUMPKIN.

**Sugar.** Medium sized remarkably sweet, fine grained and dry, very productive. The best for pies.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

**Mammoth or Field.** Immense size, good quality, and very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 45 cts.

#### PEPPER.

**Chinese Giant.** The finest and largest variety of mild flavor. The flesh is universally mild, very sweet and of great thickness. The plants are very productive, frequently half a dozen peppers on a single stem. The fruits are of thick blocky form and bright scarlet in color.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

**Bell or Bull Nose.** A large early variety of mild flavor. The standard for baking and pickling.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

**Long Red Cayenne.** Large bright red and full of fire; used principally for pickling. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

**Golden Queen.** The best yellow variety; very large and uniform in size, mild flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.



Pepper—Long Red Cayenne.

## GARDEN PEAS.



Peas—Alaska.

As the Pea crop throughout the world was practically a failure the past year, the seed is very short, so much so that we are unable to list our usual number of varieties. We are fortunate, however, in being able to offer the following varieties and do not hesitate to recommend them, as they are all strictly first class:

**Alaska.** One of the earliest, large round pods, well filled with peas of the finest quality; seed blue.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 35 cts.; peck, \$2.25; bushel, \$8.00.

**Horsford's Market Garden.** An extremely productive medium or late variety of the highest quality. It grows about two feet high and requires no bushing. As many as one hundred and fifty-four pods have been counted on one plant.

Pint, 20 cts.; qt., 35 cts.; peck, \$2.25.

**Nott's Excelsior.** The best early dwarf variety and much better in every respect than American Wonder. The growth is very compact, rarely growing over 10 inches high and very productive. The pods are one-third larger than American Wonder and are well filled with large peas of large size and unusually sweet flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 25 cts.; qt., 40 cts.; peck, \$2.50; bushel, \$10.00.

**Little Gem.** An early wrinkled variety of excellent quality, growing about eighteen inches high; very prolific.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 25 cts.; qt., 40 cts.; peck, \$2.50; bushel, \$10.00.

**Telephone.** A tall growing variety, with very large pods well filled with large peas of delicious flavor. It comes into bearing soon after Little Gem and continues for quite a long time. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 25 cts.; qt., 40 cts.; peck, \$2.50.

#### RADISH.

**Crimson Giant.** One of the most remarkable new varieties that has ever come to our notice. It combines earliness with large size and does not become spongy even when fully twice the size of other varieties. The flesh is firm, crisp and tender. The color is beautiful carmine crimson. We strongly recommend this variety for hot beds as well as for gardens. (For illustration see following page.) Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

**Early Scarlet Turnip.** A quick growing variety, with small top, rich color; crisp and tender. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

**Scarlet Globe.** An extra fine variety, slightly oval in form, of superb quality; flesh white and tender and roots bright scarlet in color. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

**Early Long Scarlet.** The standard early long variety. The radishes are long, of even red color, and very attractive in appearance. The flesh is crisp, tender and of mild flavor. Pkt. 5c.; oz. 10c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c.; 1 lb. 70c.

**French Breakfast.** A splendid olive-shaped variety, of medium size, very crisp and tender; red, tipped white. One of the best.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 70 cts.

**Early Round Red.** Very early, skin brilliant red, flesh white, solid, crisp and very mild.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 65 cts.



Telephone Pea.



Large Round Red Radish.





Radish—Crimson Giant.

**Earliest White Olive.**

Of handsome olive shape, with white skin and flesh, and clear, mild flavor. Very early, being ready for use in about 21 days from sowing the seed.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 70 cts.

**Scarlet Turnip White Tip.**

Deep scarlet, with white tip; very early, with small top. Very attractive in appearance.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 70 cts.

**SALSIFY, or VEGETABLE OYSTER.**

**Sandwich Island.** One of the most nutritious vegetables and should be more generally grown. The culture is the same as for Carrots or Parsnips. The plants have a grassy top and long tapering root and resemble a slim Parsnip. The roots having been boiled and fried resemble oysters in flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.15.

**SPINACH.**

**Long Standing.** This is decidedly the best for spring sowing, as it stands fully two weeks longer than any other sort before running to seed. The leaves are large, thick, fleshy and crumpled.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 35 cts.

**Round Thick Leaved.** One of the most popular with our market gardeners; leaves large, thick and fleshy; excellent for fall sowing, being very hardy. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 35 cts.

**SQUASH.****Summer Varieties.**

**White Bush Scallop.** Of true bush growth, very early and productive, with large thick, waxy fruits of superb flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

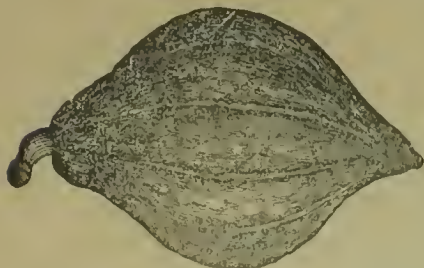
**Giant Summer Crookneck.** The most popular variety; early, productive and of excellent quality; grows in bush form.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

**Winter Varieties.**

**Delicious.** This new Fall and Winter Squash is finer grained and more delicious than the well-known Hubbard. The color of the skin is green, with an occasional blue specimen; size about same as Hubbard, weighing from 5 to 10 pounds. For table use, either as a Fall or Winter Squash, it cannot be excelled, the flesh being remarkably thick, fine grained, sweet and of rich flavor. The best specimens of "Delicious" are naturally equal to other Squashes after they have had the addition of sugar, eggs and milk.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.25.



Hubbard Squash.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.25.

**Boston Marrow.** A very productive variety, with bright orange skin and flesh. A good variety for winter use and excellent for pies.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

**Golden Hubbard.** Shape same as old fashioned Hubbard but skin is rich orange color. The flesh is deep golden yellow, cooks dry, fine flavor. The keeping qualities are fully equal to the old variety.

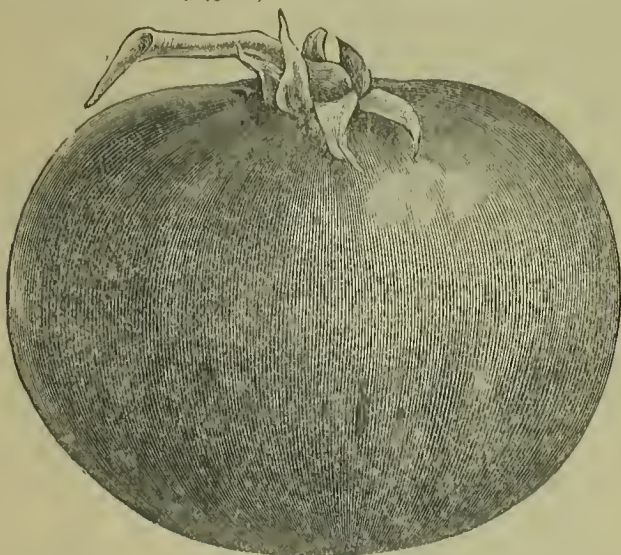
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.25.

**Hubbard.** The old favorite winter variety. Very large, flesh yellow, very dry, sweet and fine flavored.

### TOMATO.

**Dwarf Champion.** An early and distinct variety, growing stiff and upright in form and requiring no support. Fruit medium size, perfectly smooth, bright purplish red in color and very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.



Chalk's Early Jewel Tomato.

**Chalk's Early Jewel.** Almost as early as Earliana, but the fruits are larger, more solid and thicker. The plants are very vigorous and extremely productive. It is one of the most profitable varieties for main crop as well as extreme earliness. This variety is claimed by many to be as early as Earliana, but in our trials it was only a few days later.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Livingston's Globe.** Another introduction of the Livingston's of Tomato fame. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 40 cts. For description see page III.



Sparks' Earliana Tomato.

**Spark's Earliana.** It is not only remarkable for its extreme earliness, but also for its smooth, uniform shape and solidity. It is of large size, while in quality it is the equal of any variety grown. Reports from growers in all parts of this county and Canada confirm the statement—the earliest variety in existence. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Quarter Century.** A new dwarf growing upright variety very similar in growth to the Dwarf Champion, but surpassing that variety in size, solidity and quality of fruit. The fruits are large, smooth, free from

cracks, and intense deep red in color. It is an early and abundant bearer and will pro-

duce as much fruit per acre as the larger growing varieties.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.



Livingston Beauty.

**Livingston Beauty.** The standard market variety in this locality. Large smooth and solid; very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Pondrosa.** The largest variety in cultivation; very smooth, solid and meaty.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00.

**Matchless.** A splendid main crop variety. Fruits are very large, solid, perfectly smooth and of fine quality, very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Stone.** The heaviest and most solid of all the large, smooth, main crop varieties. Vines vigorous and productive; fruit large, round, deep red in color and good quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75 cts.

#### TURNIP.

**Purple Top Strap Leaf.** An early white fleshed variety of mild flavor and rapid growth.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

**White Egg.** Very early, of handsome oval form, pure white skin and sweet, firm, mild flesh.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.



Ruta Baga—Long Island Improved.



**Ruta Baga**—Long Island Improved. The best variety. Very large with firm yellow flesh, of good quality; good for table use or stock feeding.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**Monarch.** A grand yellow fleshed variety, with very large, smooth roots and small neck and top. Flesh solid, fine grained and of the very best flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

#### HERBS.

**Sage.** The most generally used of all herbs for flavoring and dressing.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.40.

**Summer Savory.** The well known and indispensable herb for seasoning, &c.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30 cts.

#### LAWRENCE'S LAWN GRASS SEED.

There is no other thing which at so small an outlay can add greater value to the home than a well-kept lawn. When a lawn is once established from good seed it will last for years, but good results can only be obtained by using a proper combination of the most suitable grasses adapted to this climate. Our mixture embraces such varieties as are perfectly hardy, lasting and of that rich green color so necessary in a fine lawn. The seed germinates quickly, roots deep, and makes a thick permanent sod in a short time. We use only re-cleaned seed, free from chaff and weed seeds, therefore requiring less seed than most others. One quart will sow 300 square feet.

Price per quart, 20 cts.; per peck, \$1.00; per bushel of 20 lbs., \$5.00.

If by mail, add 5 cts. per quart for postage.

#### SWARD FOOD.

A fertilizer especially prepared to feed grasses and insure a thick matted growth of rootlets, resulting in a compact and velvety turf. It also acts as a preventative and destroyer of the Antler or grass moth, and contains in soluble form the organic requisites for the healthy and luxuriant growth of all varieties of grasses. It is equally valuable for Ferns and Flowering Plants, Melon Crops, Cabbage and Corn.

Five-pound bag, 25 cts.; 10-pound bag, 50 cts.; 25-pound bag, \$1.10.

Do not cover your lawn with unsightly stable manure. Use SWARD FOOD.

## NOVELTIES IN FLOWER SEEDS.

### NEW ASTER, LAVENDER MIKADO.

A grand new variety of Aster which originated on our own grounds, and which will undoubtedly become just as popular as the well-known Mikado Pink "Rochester" which it resembles in every respect except color. The petals are long and narrow and gracefully reflexed, while gradually toward the center they twist and curl across each other in magnificent disorder; in size the blooms are immense, some of them measuring 5 and 6 inches in diameter under ordinary cultivation. The color is a delicate shade of lavender, deepening with age. One of the strong points of this variety is its vigorous growth, the average plant producing a dozen or more long stemmed flowers even in unfavorable seasons when other varieties of the Comet type are struggling to exist. Per pkt. 15 cts.

### NEW ASTER, MIKADO PINK.

#### "Rochester."

This wonderful new Aster continues to uphold the previous record it has made, and from the many favorable reports from those who have grown them the past two seasons, it will doubtless hold its place at the head for many years to come. On account of drought in this section the past year, many varieties of Asters were a failure, but this variety produced and developed its mammoth blooms while many others were dried up and worthless. This beautiful variety belongs to the Comet type of Asters; the

#### ASTER—Mikado Pink Rochester.



petals are long and narrow, gracefully reflexed and being curled and twisted toward the center of the flower, give that fluffy effect now so much admired; the color is a beautiful shade of shell-pink turning to lavender pink; the plants are unusually vigorous, it being not uncommon to find a dozen or more long stemmed flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter on a single plant.

Per pkt. 10 cts.

#### NEW HOHENZOLLERN ASTERS.

Not exactly a new variety of Aster, but the strain we offer is so greatly improved both in size, form and vigor that the flowers are hardly recognizable as those of the original strain; the plants grow tall and branch freely; the flowers are of the Comet type with long narrow fluted and twisted petals which gracefully intertwine and form a gigantic flower of unusual substance; the season of bloom is after the Mikado variety, to which it is an admirable companion. We offer these in only two colors, white and rose.

15 cts. per pkt., or one pkt. of each for 25 cts.

#### NEW AFRICAN DAISY.

(*Dimorphotheca Aurantica.*)

A rare showy annual from South Africa growing 12 to 15 inches high and of the easiest culture. The daisy-like flowers are 2 to 3 inches in diameter, borne in great profusion, and are of a unique glossy orange-gold color, with a dark colored disc surrounded by a black zone. They require a sunny situation where they will flower profusely all through the summer.

Pkt. 15 cts.



New Hardy Larkspur.



## NEW HARDY LARKSPURS.

We are fortunate in being able to offer seed of our own growing from a grand collection of Hardy Larkspurs, which represent the best of famous European collections. Many who saw them in flower on our grounds the past season were delighted and surprised at the beauty and form of these old garden plants. The flowers are large in size and are produced in massive spikes and run in all the shades of blue and purple, some with black others with white eye, others of rich plum color and mauve shades, and come in single, semi-double and many of them double flowers. The plants are of strong vigorous habit and perfectly hardy. They are easily grown from seed and if sown early in the hot-bed or window-garden they will bloom the first season, but in the second and succeeding years they are at their best. Per pkt. 15 cts.

## NEW ORCHID-FLOWERED SWEET PEAS.

Although there are many new varieties of these offered again this season, we have no reason to change our list of last year as after trying out most of the new varieties offered, we are satisfied that the list offered below covers the best and most distinct in their colors and will surely give satisfaction.

On account of the unusual size, wavy and fluted flowers, and delicate and charming blendings of harmonious colors, this new type, the original of which is the variety Countess Spencer, has now become known as the Orchid-flowering or Spencer Sweet Peas. They are distinct in many respects but retain all of the desirable qualities of the standard sorts. They are distinguished by their strong growth, large size and beautifully formed flowers with the edges of the standards and wings beautifully waved and ruffled. Under favorable conditions the flowers measure two inches and over in diameter and are usually borne three and four on a stem. Unfortunately this type is a shy seeder and seed of high quality will always be higher in price than the old type. There are many new varieties of this type offered each year, many of them so near alike that only an expert could distinguish them. We therefore follow the same plan as with the standard sorts and list only the best and most distinct, which we know to be the leaders in their color.

**Apple Blossom Spencer.** Very large flowers, waved and crinkled to a remarkable degree; color, bright rose and pink.

**Asta Ohn Spencer.** A charming soft lavender suffused with mauve; nicely waved and fluted.

**Aurora Spencer.** Brilliant rose-orange striped on white ground; very large and fine.

**Blanche Ferry Spencer.** Every Sweet Pea lover knows the popular old variety, Blanche Ferry, with pink and white flowers; the flowers of this are much larger and waved and fluted equal to the best of its class.

**Countess Spencer.** The original of this type; color clear pink shading to rose-pink at the edges.

**Helen Lewis.** Very large waved and fluted flowers of a crimson-orange shade, wings orange-rose.

**King Edward Spencer.** Deep rich carmine-scarlet with all the desirable features of the type.

**John Ingman.** Bright carmine-rose veined with deeper shade, splendid large waved flowers.

**Lovely Spencer.** Bright pink at the throat shading to soft pink at the edges; truly a lovely variety.

**Mrs. Walter Wright Spencer.** A magnificent rosy-mauve; fine for bunching.

**Mrs. Routzahn Spencer.** Beautiful apricot-buff delicately flushed with soft pink, beautifully waved and very large.

**White Spencer.** Extra large and very free blooming; the best white.

**Mixed Spencers.** A mixture of all the above and many other varieties which, while true to type, do not come true to color. To those not having space to devote to the separate colors, this mixture will be found of exceptional value, containing as it does all colors of the type.  
10 cts. per pkt., 25 cts. per oz.

All of the above varieties, 10 cts. per pkt.

One packet each of the 12 Spencer varieties and one packet of Mixed Spencers for \$1.00.

#### NEW VARIEGATED LEAVED NASTURTIUMS.

Every one knows the popular and easily grown Nasturtium which is so much admired for its rich green leaves and bright and various colored flowers, but in this grand new race imagine the effect when trained on trellises or in vases, of the beautiful foliage which is irregularly blotched and splashed with white and yellow. Some of the leaves are one-half to two-thirds white or yellow, while others are mostly green, while still others are beautifully blotched and striped giving the plants a beautiful effect if grown for foliage alone, but this new race is equally as free blooming and contains almost as wide a range of colors as the old green leaved variety.

**Variegated Leaved Dwarf.** 10 cts. per pkt.

**Variegated Leaved Tall or Climbing.** 10 cts. per pkt.

One packet of each for 15 cts.

#### NEW GLADIOLUS.

**Blanche.** Fine snow white, with soft rose tints. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Blue Jay.** The finest blue Gladiolus yet introduced; it is a rich deep color of an indigo shade and the only real blue variety on the market today. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**J. S. Hendrickson.** A beautiful and irregular mottling of white and bright deep pink; in some the white predominates and in others the pink. Flowers and spikes very large and fine. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Jean Dieufly.** Flowers creamy white, lower petals stained maroon; a very pretty variety. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Princeps.** An especially fine Gladiolus with immense wide open flowers of a rich dazzling scarlet color. The petals are marked with white at the base which serves to intensify the brilliancy of the scarlet. 20 cts. each.

**Sulphur King.** The finest clear yellow variety yet introduced. The flowers are of good size and well arranged on a tall spike. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

One bulb each of the above 6 varieties for 75 cts.

## INSECTICIDES.

**Lion Brand Arsenate of Lead.** For all leaf-eating insects. The best and cheapest poison for potato bugs, codling moth, canker worm and all chewing insects in general. On account of its sticky and adhesive nature, it stays on the foliage a long time, and one application will last longer and prove just as effective as two applications of paris green. It is also much safer to use on tender foliage, as it never burns. It is generally used in the proportion of 2 to 3 pounds of lead to 50 gallons of water or in smaller quantities;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  tablespoonful to a bucket of water. Price: 1 lb. can, 25 cts.; 5 lbs., \$1.00.

**Lion Brand Bordeaux Mixture.** For rot, blight, mildew and all fungus diseases. This mixture is a scientific preparation and combined in such a manner as to be ready for use by simply adding the proper amount of water. One gallon will make 50 gallons, which makes the actual cost when ready for use of 1 cent per gallon. Unlike the home made mixture, you can use much or little of this at a time, as the balance will be good at any further time. Price 45 cents per quart, \$1.00 per gallon can.

**Lion Brand Weed Killer.** The greatest weed killer of the century. Will keep walks, drives, tennis courts, etc., free from weeds, moss and grass of all descriptions. You moisten the ground around the roots with the weed killer; it does the rest. One quart makes 5 to 6 gallons. Price: One quart, 35 cts.; one gallon jugs, \$1.00.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

**Flower Pots, Standard.** All sizes, very cheap. Write for prices on any size you want.

**Rustic Hanging Baskets.** Filled with plants, \$1.50 to \$3.00 each.

**Earthenware Hanging Baskets.** Filled with plants, 75 cts. to \$1.50 each.

**Potting Soil.** 50 cts. per bushel; 25 cts. if taken at the garden.

**Pot Labels.** 4 inches long, painted, 15 cts. per hundred.

**Raffia.** A splendid tying material for plants, or bunching green vegetables. So soft it does not cut, yet so strong it may be split to the finest fiber. 25 cs. per lb.

## SPRAYERS.

**THE SUCCESS BUCKET SPRAYER.** A very effective pump for general use. The brass air chamber compels a constant stream, the operator being enabled to pause between each stroke, as rapid pumping is not necessary. All parts coming in contact with the liquid are of brass. The Success is excellent for whitewashing and disinfecting stables, hen houses, etc.; also for washing windows, buggies, etc., as well as the regular work of spraying. All pumps are fitted with the Bordeaux nozzle and 3 feet of hose.

**PRICE COMPLETE, \$4.00.**

We can supply many other Sprayers such as Knap-sack, Cart Sprayers, Horsepower and Gasoline Sprayers. If interested, write for prices.



**Success Bucket Sprayer.**



**PATENTED.****Auto-Spray No. 1.**

**AUTO-SPRAY No. 1.** This is a compressed air sprayer which covers every point of excellence, and is the result of many years of experience and experiment. It consists of a heavy reservoir made of either galvanized steel or brass as ordered. The machine is operated by loading two-thirds full of solution; the pump is then inserted and locked tight by means of a patent locking device; air is then pumped into the reservoir and occupies the space above the solution where it is compressed and discharges under high pressure. The spray is controlled by a nozzle which is worked by a lever which just fits the hand so that the spray is under absolute control at all times. This is a practical machine and will pay for itself in one season.

**PRICE.**

Galvanized steel, with stop-cock, \$4.50; with auto pop, \$5.50.

All brass, with stop-cock, \$6.00; with auto pop, \$7.00.

**MEMORANDA.**

# FLOWER SEEDS.

We give special attention to our Flower Seeds and aim to handle only the best strains to be procured, both of home and foreign growth. We do not offer a long list of varieties, but only the best and most generally known, and those we know are best suited to the amateur. We offer no seeds of inferior quality, at cheap prices, nor do we give any premiums, preferring to give the value in the best seeds procurable at honest prices. Many of the varieties are of our own growing and most careful selection, while others are from specialists in this and foreign countries.

## GENERAL RULES.

Many of the failures with Flower Seeds are due to the lack of proper conditions, such as sowing too deep, too early, too late, in improperly prepared soil, etc., and while it would be impossible to give explicit directions in our limited space, we give a few general directions, which, if followed, will give only good result. For all seeds which should be started early in the house, such as Carnation Marguerite, Cockscomb, Coleus, Canna, Heliotrope, Petunia, Verbena, &c., the best plan is to sow in shallow boxes, pans or anything of convenient size and having good drainage. These should be filled about half their depth with broken crockery, coal ashes, or any material which will allow the water to drain away freely. The upper half should be filled with nicely sifted soil composed of about one-third sand, one third leaf mold or well-rotted manure, and one third good garden soil. Press the soil down level and firm and water thoroughly several hours before sowing the seeds. When ready scatter the seeds thinly over the surface and cover them with finely sifted soil to a depth of about four times the diameter of the seeds. This means with very fine seed such as Petunia, a covering of about one-thirty-second of an inch, while with such large seed as Canna, a covering of nearly an inch would be necessary. After covering, firm the soil again and water just enough to reach the seeds. The best plan in watering is to place the box or pan in a larger vessel containing water enough to reach about half the depth of the box, and leave until the soil is saturated; the box can then be covered with a pane of glass or papers to hold the moisture. When the seedlings appear all shading must be removed and they must now have plenty of light and air. The soil at no time must become dry, as this is the most critical time, and any lack of attention at this time may mean an entire failure. When the seedlings are large enough to handle they should be transplanted into similar boxes or small pots and kept in a light, airy situation until time to plant out in the open ground.

For all hardy annuals such as Alyssum, Candytuft, Mignonette, Poppies, etc., the simplest plan is to sow the seeds directly in the open ground. When the soil is in good working condition, it should be well dug and the surface raked fine. Sow the seeds evenly and thinly, preferably in rows, so that they may more easily be kept clean. The same directions for covering the seeds should be followed as described above. When the seedlings are about an inch high they should be thinned out, giving each plant plenty of room to grow.

# General Collection of Flower Seeds.

FLOWER SEEDS ARE DELIVERED FREE  
TO ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.



Ageratum.

Ageratum. One of our best bedding plants on account of their ease of culture and free blooming quality, easily raised from seed, not particular as to soil, and covered with a sheet of bloom from early summer until frost. Mixed colors, white and blue.  
Per pkt. 5 cts.

Alyssum. (Sweet Alyssum). Free blooming dwarf plants for beds, baskets, vases and edgings. Pure white.  
Pkt. 5 cts.

Amaranthus. Tricolor. A very effective annual plant with beautiful variegated red, yellow and green foliage. A splendid plant for centers of beds or background of borders.  
Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 35 cts.

Amaranthus Caudatus. (Love-lies-bleeding.) A striking variety with long, dark green, drooping flower spikes.  
Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 25 cts.

Aquilegia. (Columbine.) One of our best hardy perennial plants, growing from 1 to 3 feet high and producing their beautiful flowers in abundance in May and June. The colors range from white to purple, rose yellow, striped, etc. Mixed colors.  
Per pkt. 5 cts.





Giant Antirrhinum.

**Antirrhinum.** (Snapdragon.) One of the most valuable annual plants for the production of cut-flowers in the garden. They grow two to three feet in height and are covered with blooms from early summer until late in the fall. Unlike most plants they will stand considerable frost, and in the cool weather of the fall the flowers are at their best. The flowers are borne in magnificent spikes and come in rich and various colors. They succeed best in a sunny situation in rather light soil. As the seeds are very small, care should be taken in sowing so as not to cover too deep.

Pkt. 5 cts.

## ASTERS.

These have now become one of the most important summer flowers, and the continual improvement made in the size of flower, vigor of growth and purity of color is remarkable. A few years ago we had to rely upon European growers for practically all of our Aster seed, but today the very best seed, of the strongest vitality and the very best varieties, is grown right here in New York State. Asters succeed with every one and do well in any soil, but best results are had when extra care is taken in the preparation of the soil, which should be liberally enriched with well rotted stable manure and a good sprinkling of unleached wood ashes or air-slaked lime well worked in. They prefer an open sunny situation and plenty of room to develop, and for best results should not be planted closer than one

foot apart. For early blooming, the seed should be sown in the hot-bed or sunny window in March or April, but for August and later blooming the seed may be sown in the open ground in May or early June.

**LAWRENCE'S PREMIER MIXED.**

A grand mixture composed of the best and newest varieties especially selected for garden culture under ordinary conditions. We have annually improved this strain by adding new and distinct varieties until we now have the best strain of mixed Asters on the market today. Our sales of this mixture is more than double that of each preceding year which is conclusive proof of its excellence. The colors are well proportioned, as the seed is mixed in such proportions of each color as we have found to be most satisfactory to our customers using a large proportion of white and the rich and delicate shades of pink and lesser proportions of the deep and purple shades. All are of vigorous growth and may be depended on to produce an abundance of flowers of good color and form.

Pkt. 10 cts.; three pkts. for 25 cts.

**Giant Comet.** One of the finest of the tall growing Asters. The large double flowers are composed of long wavy twisted petals, resembling the Japanese Chrysanthemums. The plants are of strong growth, about 18 inches high, and very productive of large long stemmed flowers.  
Giant Comet White, pkt. 10 cts. Giant Comet Pink, pkt. 10 cts.  
Giant Comet Mixed, pkt. 10 cts. Giant Comet Purple, pkt. 10 cts.  
Collection of the four varieties for 35 cts.



**New Early Branching Aster.**

**New Late Branching.** The best and most satisfactory Aster of any on the market today. The plants are strong, vigorous growers, making bushes 2 to 3 feet high and bearing large Chrysanthemum-like flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter on long strong stems. They come into bloom about two weeks later than the average variety and continue until late fall.

White Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Purple Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Lavender Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Pink Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Crimson Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Mixed Branching, pkt. 10 ets.

Collection of six varieties for 50 ets.

#### NEW EARLY BRANCHING ASTERS.

A distinct advance in the class of Branching Asters, attaining the size and vigor of the late blooming Branching Aster, but coming into bloom about two weeks earlier; the branches are fewer and free from side buds which forces the whole strength of the plants into the few very large and perfect flowers on extra long stems. We have only two colors to offer in this class.

Early Branching White, 10 cts. per pkt.

Early Branching Rose, 10 cts. per pkt.

**Daybreak.** A very fine variety growing about 18 inches tall, and producing an abundance of large, very double and perfectly formed flowers of a delicate sea shell pink, an early and continuous bloomer and excellent for cutting purposes. Pkt. 10 ets.

**Purity.** A fit companion to the above, to which it is identical in every respect, except in color which is pure white. Pkt. 10 ets.

**Vick's Cardinal.** A new and entirely distinct variety. For brilliancy of color and profusion of bloom this Aster is in a class by itself. The flowers are large and full, free from yellow centers and borne on graceful stems of average length. In color, which is a brilliant cardinal, there is no other variety with which to compare it. It blooms from early August until late in the fall. Pkt. 10 ets.

**Carlson's Lavender.** A strong healthy variety, producing large long stemmed flowers in abundance. We consider this the best of all lavender varieties yet introduced. Pkt. 10 ets.

**Violet King.** The habit of this grand variety is very similar to the Branching variety, being vigorous in growth, with long stiff stems and luxuriant foliage of the richest green. In form the flower is distinct from other varieties; the petals are quilled, those in the center being twisted, curled and incurved, completely covering the center. The flowers are large and full and frequently measure 4 to 5 inches in diameter. The color is a rich violet. Pkt. 10 ets.





Balsam.

**Balsam.** An old garden favorite of the easiest culture, covered all summer with a profusion of brilliant colored double, rose-shaped flowers.

Finest mixed, pkt. 5 cts.  
Pure white, 5 cts.

**Calendula.** (Pot Marigold.) Showy free flowering annuals, with yellow flowers produced in great abundance.

Pkt. 5 cts.



Callopsis.

**Callopsis.** Beautiful free blooming hardy annuals of bright colors.  
Pkt. 5 cts.

**Campanula.** (Bellflower.) Well known, easily grown biennials and perennials producing large bell-shaped flowers in great profusion and of many shades of blue and rose, and pure white. Mixed colors, per pkt. 5 cts.

**Canary Bird Vine.** A rapid growing vine, producing quaint little canary colored blossoms bearing a resemblance to a bird with its wings partly expanded.

Per pkt. 5 cts.

**Candytuft.** Dwarf old-fashioned plants that require no care and will grow in any soil, and are completely covered with blossoms.

**Giant Empress.** Pure white.

Pkt. 5 cts.; per oz. 15 cts.

**Canna.** (Indian Shot.) One of the finest of bedding plants for this climate. Rich tropical foliage and large spikes of flowers of different shades and colorings. The seed should be soaked in warm water 12 hours before sowing.

Mixed colors per pkt. 10 cts.

**Carnation.** (Marguerite.) A decidedly popular variety of this beautiful plant on account of its early blooming habit. The flowers are of large size, deliciously fragrant and perfectly double. Seed sown in the spring will produce plants that will bloom continually from August until heavy frosts. Mixed varieties.

Pkt. 10 cts.



Cockscomb—(Glasgow Prize.)

**Cockscomb.** ("Glasgow Prize.") A graceful plant, producing large, dark crimson, comb-shaped flowers.

Pkt. 10 cts.

**Cockscomb.** (Feathered Varieties.)

Fine plants for large beds or groups, producing freely large feathery plumes, ranging from clear yellow to the darkest red. per pkt. 10 cts.

**Chrysanthemum.** Annual varieties. Showy garden plants of great value for cut flowers. Mixed colors, pkt. 5 cts.

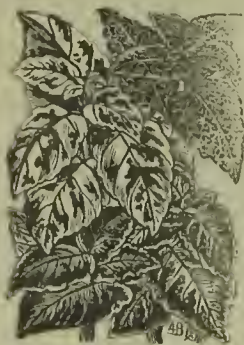
**Centaurea or Bachelor's Button.** Also called Blue Bottle and Ragged Sailor. One of the oldest and best known garden plants of easy culture, and a general favorite for cut-flowers; will grow and flower in any soil. The seed should be sown where plants are intended to grow. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Centaurea Imperialis.** (Giant Sweet Sultan.) A strain of Sweet Sultan of the easiest culture and the finest of all for cut-flowers. It blooms continually from early summer till autumn. The flowers are fragrant and of various colors from white through the various shades of pink, rose, crimson, violet, etc., to crimson. The plants are vigorous growers and are covered with fine large flowers on long stems. The seed should be sown early in the open ground. Pkt. 10 cts.



Cockscomb—(Feathered Variety.)

**Cosmos.** New Early Blooming. Strong growing garden plants having elegant foliage and for late summer and fall blooming have no equal; the flowers are of various shades and colors from pure white to crimson. As a flower for cutting they have no superior, keeping for a week when cut and placed in water. The seed should be started early in the house or hot-bed, to have a long season of bloom, although with the strain we offer they will bloom from seed sown in the open ground early in May. Pkt. 5 ets.



Fancy Coleus.

**Cobea.** A rapid growing vine of great value, as a covering for trellises, arbors, trunks of trees, etc. Its large bell-shaped flowers are produced late in the summer. In sowing, the seeds must be planted on edge, and covered lightly with fine soil. Per pkt. 15 ets.

**Coleus.** Novel and interesting foliage plants easily grown from seed. Our strain produces a great variety of highly colored and attractive plants suitable either for garden or house culture. Per pkt. 15 ets.

**Dianthus.** China Pink. Also called Diadem Pink and Japan Pink. These are among the most brilliant of our garden flowers and of the easiest culture. The plants grow from 12 to 15 inches in height and bloom freely all through the summer until heavy freezing weather in the fall. They will live over winter the first season if protected with a light covering of leaves or similar loose material. The seeds may be started early in the house or hot-bed and are easily transplanted and should be planted 8 to 10 inches apart in the garden. The flowers resemble Carnations and are of rich and various shades and colors, as white, pink, rose, purple, maroon, striped, and many combinations and blendings of these colors. Many are deeply fringed. Double, all colors mixed, 5 ets, per pkt. Single, all colors mixed, 5 ets per pkt.

**Dahlias.** These grand old garden favorites which are now enjoying such a wide popularity are among the easiest flowers to grow from seed. The double varieties blooming the first season if the seed is sown before April, while the single varieties will bloom if the seed is sown in the open ground, although the earlier they are started the longer the season of bloom. Double mixed. Per pkt. 10e. Single mixed. Per pkt. 10e.

**Double English Daisy.** An old fashioned hardy garden plant, blooming from early spring until well in the summer. The seed should be sown early or if sown in August and transplanted to permanent position in September they will give best satisfaction.

Per pkt. 10 ets.



Double English Daisy.

**Digitalis.** (Foxglove.) Large stately ornamental plants, with flower stems 3 to 5 feet high. They succeed under almost any condition and are used to good advantage among shrubbery and in half shady situations. As they are perennial, the seed should be sown in July and transplanted into permanent position in September. Mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

**Eschscholtzia.** California Poppy. Very attractive annuals of low growth, and finely divided foliage blooming freely from June until frost. Mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

**Forget-Me-Not.** Charming little plants with small star-like flowers of a delicate shade of blue. The plants prefer a moist situation. Pkt. 5 cts.



**Hollyhock.**

**Gaillardia.** Fine bedding plants, valuable for cut flowers. The flowers are very double, of various and pleasing colors, and freely produced on long stems. Pkt. 5c.

**Heliotrope.** A splendid bedding plant of robust growth and easily raised from seed. Its delightful perfume makes it one of the most popular flowers for cutting. Per pkt. 10c.

**Hollyhock.** A noble, hardy old plant, which should be in every garden. Too well known to need description. Our seed has been saved from the finest and most double varieties. We have them in separate colors—white, rose, pink, crimson, yellow and mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Larkspur.** A well-known hardy annual which has been greatly improved by careful selection and cultivation. They are of the easiest cul-

ture as they do not require to be started in the house. Sow in the spring as soon as the soil can be worked, thinning the plants to 12 inches apart. They are very free bloomers and produce an abundance of large spikes of flowers in white, pink, rose, shades of blue, violet, &c.; the flowers of some are double in others single; the foliage is finely cut and very ornamental; altogether one of the best annuals for cut flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Marvel of Peru.** (Four O'clocks.) A well-known old-fashioned garden annual, very free blooming and succeeding in any situation. Fine mixed colors.

Per pkt. 5 cts.





Marigold.

**Marigold.** There are no finer plants grown for garden decoration than the Marigolds. The African variety is the taller and produces flowers of all one shade of color in each flower, while the French are smaller in growth and flower and come in many different shades of yellow and brown, and many striped and spotted. For early blooming the seed should be started early in the house or hot-bed, or good results may be had by sowing in the open ground when the weather has become settled and warm. They succeed

best in a light soil and a sunny exposure.

Double African Tall, all shades of yellow. Pkt. 5 cts.

Double French, Dwarf, shades of yellow and brown. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Mignonette.** No garden is complete without the Mignonette. Although many fragrant flowers are grown that exceed the Mignonette in beauty there is no flower better known and so generally grown for its fragrance. The best results are had with this popular annual by sowing in the open ground as early in the spring as the soil can be worked, sowing the seed thinly as they require plenty of room. Another sowing should be made a month later for fall blooming. They do not transplant well, so the seed should be sown where they are to grow.



Mignonette.

**Mignonette.** (Mammoth Flowering.)

The largest and finest of this most popular annual. The large individual florets are borne in dense spikes on long, strong stems and are delightfully fragrant. Pkt 10 cts.

**Large Flowering Variety.** The common sweet Mignonette. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Morning Glory.** The popular and pretty old-fashioned climber of many colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Imperial Japanese Morning Glory.** It is almost impossible to accurately describe the colors of this giant variety. There are all the shades

of red from flesh pink to the darkest crimson, through all the shades of blue to the deepest purple. Others, pure white, smoky grey, brown any many combinations of these colors. The flowers are enormous, some of them as large as saucers. The edges are frequently frilled, ruffled and scalloped in many curious and beautiful ways. To obtain the best results they should be planted in rather poor soil. Pkt. 10c.

**Myosotis.** (Forget-me-not.) Charming little plants with small star-like flowers. The plants prefer a moist situation. Per pkt. 5 cts.

**LAWRENCE'S FINE NASTURTIUMS.**

One of the best of all our garden annuals, succeeding with all who have a sunny location and any kind of soil except low and wet. The mixture we offer is composed of the finest new large flowered varieties in the proper proportion of colors, embracing all the shades of red and yellow, pink, chocolate, rose, striped, blotched, etc.; in size the flowers are large and usually borne on long stems.



Nasturtium.

**Tall or Climbing.** These are of strong and vigorous growth, forming elegant and luxuriant vines which can be readily trained over verandas, trellises, etc. They are also useful for covering unsightly fences, tree stumps, etc., and very showy when planted on slopes and banks and allowed to run at will.

**Lawrence's Fine Mixed Climbing.** Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.

**Butterfly.** Light lemon yellow blotched on lower petals with terra cotta, upper petals marked red. Pkt. 5 cts.

- King Theodore.** Rich velvety crimson. Pkt. 5 cts.
- Jupiter.** Extra large bright yellow. Pkt. 5 cts.
- Moonlight.** Creamy white, very large. Pkt. 5 cts.
- Salmon Queen.** Rich salmon shade. Pkt. 5 cts.
- Scarlet.** Rich vermillion scarlet. Pkt. 5 cts.

One packet each of the above seven varieties for 25 cts.

**DWARF OR TOM THUMB NASTURTIUMS.**

Very useful for bedding or massing. They are of dwarf, compact and rounded growth, and succeed best in well drained soil or on raised beds.

**Lawrence's Fine Mixed Dwarf.** Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.

**Aurora.** Bright chrome yellow, lower petals blotched and veined with carmine.

**Beauty.** Scarlet splashed with yellow. Per pkt. 5 cts.

**Cloth of Gold.** Golden yellow leaves and bright scarlet flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Rosy Gem.** Soft rose pink. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Ruby King.** Bright ruby red. Pkt. 5 cts.

One pkt. each of the six varieties for 25 cents.

## PANSIES.



PANSY—Giant Exhibition.

ried colors and shades, equal to if not superior to most of the higher priced strains offered by other dealers. Pkt. 10c. 3 pkts. for 25c.

**Mixed Bedding.** A fine strain for bedding purposes. The plants are of even, vigorous growth, and the flowers of large size and good substance; all colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Snow Queen.** Large pure white, light yellow center. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Giant Yellow.** Rich golden yellow with dark eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Giant Purple.** All the shades of purple to black. Pkt. 10c. One pkt. each of the three varieties for 25 cts.

**Petunia.** Few plants equal this for garden decoration. They are early and very free blooming and continue a mass of bloom all through the season. They are of the easiest culture and do well in any good soil.

**Giant Exhibition.** The flowers of this strain are of immense size and perfect form, and contain a wide range of handsome and striking colors, including the rare and delicate rose and pink shadings, the rich bronze and copper colors, deep shining black, brilliant reds, purples, yellows and many combinations and shadings of these colors. We have been fortunate in being able to greatly improve this strain the past season by adding new German strains which were a revelation to all who saw them. Pkt. 15 cts. Two pkts. for 25 cts.

**Large Flowering Mixed.** A fine strain of large size and perfectly formed flowers of rich and va-



Single Petunia.



**Petunia, Very Fine Mixed.** A beautiful strain of large size and brilliant colors and markings. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Ruffled Giants.** A comparatively new race from California, the result of the most careful and expert selection and hybridizing. The flowers are of enormous size, many of them five inches in diameter, with deep throat, and edges deeply fluted and fringed, giving them a ruffled appearance. The colors are rich and varied, ranging from pure white to the deepest violet. A splendid variety for bedding. Pkt. 15 cts.

**Phlox Drummondii.** One of our best annuals. There is no plant which can compare with it in brilliancy of color, freedom of growth and duration of bloom, making it of exceptional value for bedding or massing. We have a very fine strain in separate colors, white, crimson or mixed. 5 cts. per pkt.

**Star Phlox.** A unique variety with flowers having long pointed petals, giving the flower a star-like appearance. The flowers come in all the colors of the Phlox family, but the beauty of this variety, aside from the shape of the flowers, is that most all of the flowers have a border of white, giving them a rich and dainty appearance. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Phlox Drummondii Dwarf.** The plants are dwarf and grow very compact, making it very valuable for edging borders, etc.

**Fire Ball.** Brilliant scarlet.

**Snow Ball.** Pure white.

Extra fine mixed. Pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

**Portulaca.** Small trailing plants, succeeding in any situation; splendid for edging. Their brilliant and various colored blossoms are produced in great profusion throughout the season. Finest Mixed Double, pkt. 10 cts.; finest Mixed Single, pkt. 5

#### POPPIES.

Very popular plants which have been greatly improved the past few years. There is no plant which produces a more brilliant display of color in their season, as they do not stand transplanting, the seed must be sown where they are to remain and as early in the spring as possible.

**Shirley.** This beautiful Poppy is unquestionably the finest of all varieties. The flowers are single and occasionally semi-double and are of the most varied and delicate colorings. Some are brilliant, red or crimson; many delicate shades of pink, while others are faintly edged and striped; in fact the coloring is so varied that scarcely any two will be found alike. If the flowers are cut before fully open, they will last in good condition. Pkt. 5 cts.



Shirley Poppy.



**Paeony-flowered.** These Poppies are very handsome. The flowers grow to an enormous size, from 6 to 7 inches in diameter, are as double as Paeonies, and the colors are very rich and striking, height 2 to 3 feet. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Snowball.** Flowers of the largest size, perfect form, very double and the purest snow white. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Iceland.** One of the most useful and beautiful hardy plants in cultivation. They are perfectly hardy without any protection, and bloom the first season from seed. They commence blooming early in the season and if the flowers are kept picked, continue until fall. The colors are white, yellow and deep orange. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Primrose.** (*Primula Chinensis*.) This is without question the best pot plant for house culture during the winter months, succeeds best in a cool room without direct sunlight, a north window being an ideal place. The seed should be sown from March to May. Our strain is unsurpassed, being the product of the best European growers. We have them in white, rose, red and mixed. Per pkt. 25 cts.

**Ricinus.** (*Castor Oil Bean*.) Highly ornamental plants of stately growth and handsome foliage, attaining a height of from 6 to 10 feet. Mixed varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.



**Salpiglossis.**

**Salpiglossis.** A beautiful and free blooming plant with handsome veined and tinted funnel-shaped flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Salvia.** (*Flowering Sage*.) A very bright and showy bedding plant of rather strong growth, bearing long spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers in great profusion in late summer and fall. The seed should be sown in the house or hot-bed as early as possible and the young plants planted out when the weather becomes settled and warm. Pkt. 10 cents.

**Schizanthus.** (*Butterfly Flower*.) A charming annual which on account of its ease of culture and the remarkable colorings of its flowers has been called the "Poor Man's Orchid." The plants attain a height of about 15 inches, branching freely and producing a multitude of large panicles of lovely blossoms. Per pkt. 10 cts.

**Scabiosa.** (*Mourning Bride*.) One of the prettiest of our annual plants, producing an abundance of richly colored flowers on long stems. A fine flower for bouquets, etc. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Scarlet Runner Beans.** A beautiful old ornamental climber of rapid growth, producing bright scarlet pea-shaped blossoms in abundance. Grows 11 to 15 feet high. Pkt. 5 cts. Pint 25 cts.

**Sensitive Plant.** (*Mimosa Pudica*.) Very interesting and curious plants, the leaves of which droop and close when touched. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Stock.** Large flowering Ten Weeks. One of the best known and most popular plants for garden or greenhouse culture; the flowers are of a distinct and pleasing fragrance, large double, and borne on handsome spikes. For best results the seeds should be sown early in the house or hot-bed in light soil, covering the seed very lightly, transplant just as soon as the third leaf appears, and plant out when the weather has become settled and warm, setting the plants about 12 inches apart. Unfortunately, the double Stock does not produce seed, it being produced from the single varieties after being carefully grown and cross fertilized, for this reason there is always a certain percentage which produce single flowers even in the best strains.

Large Flowering, Pure White, pkt. 10 cts.

Large Flowering, Fresh Color, pkt. 10 cts.

Large Flowering, Blood Red, pkt. 10 cts.

Large Flowering, Finest Mixed, pkt. 10 cts.

One packet each of the four varieties for 35 cts.

**Sweet William.** An attractive, free blooming, old fashioned plant of rich and varied colors, perfectly hardy. Pkt. 5 cts.

## LAWRANCE'S SELECT SWEET PEAS.

There are present about 300 varieties of Sweet Peas on the market, and many new ones being added every year. In this long list there are so many varieties that are either exactly alike or so nearly so, that it seems useless to list them. While we have not tested all of the varieties on the market to-day, we do annually test most of the new ones offered, and many of them are discarded as being no improvement on existing varieties. We have again carefully revised our list and selected 25 of the best and most distinct standard sorts and offer them as a collection that, for the amateur gardener, cannot be improved upon.

**Aurora.** Orange striped on a white ground.

**Blanche Ferry.** The popular pink and white variety.

**Black Michael.** Bright shining red maroon, extra large flowers.

**Bolton's Pink.** Extra large boldly expanded flowers, color soft orange pink, very bright and showy.

**Countess Cadogan.** Very large flowers of a bright blue color.

**Dorothy Eckford.** Very large pure white, a fine variety.

**Dainty.** Rightly named on account of the dainty coloring, white with pink edge.

**Emily Henderson.** Large pure white very early and profuse.

**Earliest of All.** Identical in color with Blanche Ferry, but blooms two weeks earlier.

**E. J. Castle.** Rich carmine-rose, shaded salmon.

**Gladys Unwin.** Extra large flowers of a lovely light pink color.

**Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon.** Fine primrose yellow.



Janet Scott. Bright pink slightly tinged with apricot.

King Edward VII. A grand scarlet variety, with large flowers on long stems.

Lovely. Soft shell pink, a lovely shade.

Lady Grisel Hamilton. Light lavender blue.

Miss Willmott. Rich orange pink shaded rose; has no superior in color.

Mrs. Dugdale. Beautiful carmine rose; extra large flowers.

Mrs. Walter Wright. A beautiful shade of mauve.

Navy Blue. Deep Indigo blue, very distinct.

Nora Unwin. A grand large, waved, pure white.

Phyllis Unwin. Beautiful rich rose.

**Phenomenal.** Silvery white; flowers tinged with pink and edged with rich purple. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

**Queen Alexandria.** A grand new scarlet variety which does not burn in Strong sunshine. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz.; 15 cts.

**Stella Morse.** Buff pink with cream tintings. A grand variety for bunching.

**Unique.** Large expanded, white flowers, delicately flaked with lavender. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

**White Wonder.** Pure white flowers of the largest size and frequently borne six on a stem. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

**Lawrence's Fine Mixed.** A splendid mixture embracing all of the above and many other large flowered varieties of bright and pleasing shades and colors in good proportion. This is not to be compared with many of the Mixed Sweet Peas on the market which contain about half blue and purple shades and the balance of old-fashioned, small free seeding varieties, but may be depended upon to produce a rich and varied collection of all colors in proper proportion. Per pkt. of one ounce, 5 cts. Per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20 cts.; per lb. 60 cts.

Any of the above varieties 5 cts. per pkt., 10 cts. per ounce except where noted.

Complete collection of the 25 varieties for \$1 00, or collection of any 12 varieties for 50 cts.

For list of Orchid-flowering or Spencer varieties see novelty pages.

#### CUPID, or BEDDING SWEET PEAS.

**Cupid.** A new dwarf or bedding variety, suitable for edgings or borders or for pot culture. They are true dwarfs with no tendency to climb whatever. Very free blooming. Large, pure white, fragrant flowers. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 15 cts.

**Pink Cupid.** Identical with preceding, except in color, which is pink and white, and like the well known variety, Blanche Ferry. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 15 cts.

**Mixed Cupids.** A mixture containing all of the colors and shadings of the tall varieties. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 10 cts.



Zinnia.

**Verbena.** An indispensable bedding plant of spreading habit, and very free blooming. Our seed has been saved from the finest large flowers of brilliant colors and shades. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Zinnia.** Hardy, showy annuals, free blooming and will thrive in any soil. The flowers of our mixture rival the dahlia in size and form. Pkt. 5 cts.



# General Collection of Plants.

## ASPARAGUS.



Asparagus—*Plumosus nanus*.

**Plumosus nanus.** One of the most distinct and effective decorative plants grown. The leaves are bright green and finer than the most delicate lace work—much handsomer than Maiden-Hair fern. Fine plants 15 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Asparagus—Sprengerii.

a cool situation and in summer do best when planted out in a partially shaded situation and frequently sprayed over the foliage. They should never be allowed to dry out at any stage of their growth; we have them in shades of pink to deep rose, red, white and variegated. While we have them in flower at most all times during the winter we aim to have the most of them in flower at the Easter season, when we are able to supply any color. Strong blooming plants \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.

#### ARAUCARIA EXCELSA.

An elegant and graceful evergreen plant well adapted to house culture. Attractive and graceful in appearance at all times and especially popular at the Christmas season, it does best in a rather cool situation. Otherwise the culture is the same as for palms.

Fine plants \$1 to \$5 each.

**Sprengerii.** A graceful and pretty new variety useful for hanging baskets or decorative purposes. Its long drooping fronds are rich glossy green in color and are from 2 to 5 feet in length, and when cut will retain their freshness for weeks. An excellent plant for the dwelling house as it successfully stands the dry atmosphere.

Young plants 15c.

Strong plants 25c.

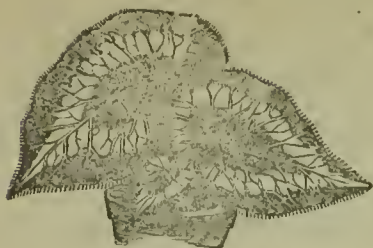
Specimen plants \$1 to \$5.

#### AZALEA INDICA.

Beautiful plants for window or conservatory decoration, the different varieties having their season of bloom from January to May. They require an abundance of water when in bloom and lack of this is most often the cause of their not lasting long when in flower. They like



Araucaria.



Begonia Rex.

**BEGONIA REX.**

This class of Begonia is grown for their remarkable and richly colored foliage and are very effective as pot plants for the house. Care should be taken to keep the foliage free from dust and while benefitted by an occasional showering, should never be exposed to the sun while the foliage is wet. We have a collection of many new and old varieties.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each.

Large plants from 25 cts. to \$1.00 each.

**TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS.**

Tuberous Rooted Begonia.

This beautiful class of Begonia is perhaps the finest of all summer flowering bulbs. They are each year becoming more popular, as they are of the easiest culture, and constant and prolific bloomers. They delight in a rich mellow and well drained soil and do best in a situation where they do not get the strong mid-day sun. They are admirably adapted to planting in window and piazza boxes on the north side of houses where Geraniums and other sun-loving plants would not do well. Nothing can exceed the brilliancy and richness of their flowers, many of which are 4 inches across. The tubers can be kept over winter in a dry cool place, and started again in the spring.

Separate Colors. White, yellow, scarlet, crimson and pink.

Dry bulbs, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Growing plants, 25 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Double Varieties. Separate colors, white, scarlet, crimson, pink and yellow.

Dry bulbs, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

Growing plants, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.



## CARNATIONS.

This, the most popular cut-flower of the day, we grow in large quantities in the best and most popular varieties. While not grown to any great extent by amateurs, they should be more generally planted. By planting strong 3 inch pot plants in the open ground in early spring they may be had in bloom from Aug. 1st until November. Besides the list of the best varieties offered below we have many others, at the same prices.

Price: Strong plants from 2 inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per dozen.  
Strong plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per dozen.



Carnations.

**Enchantress.** The most popular of all light pink varieties; large flowers on long stems; a strong grower and very free bloomer.

**Rose Pink Enchantress.** Identical with the above except in color, which is a beautiful rose pink.

**White Enchantress.** A pure white variety identical with the above in all respects except color.



**Beacon.** An early and continuous free flowering variety, bright scarlet in color.

**Harlowarden.** Deep velvety crimson flowers on long stem.

**Mrs. Ward.** A new variety of good habit and freely producing its bright rich pink flowers on long stems.

### CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

We have a fine collection of this, the "Queen of Autumn," but on account of the large number of varieties, lack of space forbids us to mention them. We have one house 30 by 70 feet, devoted entirely to them in their season, and as many of the largest and finest varieties as grown for cut flowers are not suited for pot culture, it would be better to leave the selection of varieties to us, mentioning the colors desired, and whether wanted for bush plants in pots, or single stem plants for bench culture in the conservatory.

Strong plants, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per dozen.

**Single Varieties.** This type has now become very popular. In the large cities they have been exhibited very extensively the past season, and now no exhibition is complete without its classes for singles. When grown naturally in sprays, there is a charm about them that is not easily forgotten. We have a fine collection, personally selected from the prize-winners at the various shows the past season.

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

**Hardy Pompons.** There are many varieties of Chrysanthemums that are hardy as far as the plant is concerned, but are of no value for outdoor blooming in this climate, as they are so late the buds are caught by our early frosts. The collection we offer generally bloom between the first of September and the 15th of October, and if given slight protection during this time will amply repay for the slight trouble taken. We have them in white, pink, yellow, bronze and red.

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Large blooming plants of all the above Chrysanthemums in the fall, in 5, 6 and 7 inch pots, 35 cts. to \$1.00 each.

### CANNAS.

The popularity of this stately plant has been so great the past few years that many thousands are now planted where a few years ago they were practically unknown for bedding purposes. Cannas should be planted in a good rich soil in a warm situation, and while not requiring much water when first planted will require liberal waterings when well established and growing freely. They should be planted 18 inches apart each way and if more than one kind is wanted, care should be taken to plant the taller varieties in the center if in beds, or on the back if used as a background. For a round bed 7 feet in diameter it will require 19 plants, or an effective bed is made by planting 18 Cannas and a Castor Oil plant for the center.

Strong growing plants 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

19 plants, enough for a 7 foot bed for \$2.25.

**Beaute Poltevine.** Brilliant crimson with scarlet shadings; a very compact grower and free blooming; height 3 feet.

**Chautauqua.** Flowers rich scarlet, intensely vivid; has luxurious tropical foliage prettily bronzed; height  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet.

**Duke of Marlboro.** A vigorous grower and abundant bloomer; dark, rich velvety maroon; height  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet.



Cannas.

**Gladiator.** Large round flowers with bright yellow petals thick spotted maroon, smaller center petals solid crimson; height  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet.

**Jupiter.** Flowers rich red and very effective; foliage rich purplish red; height 6 feet; a grand bedding variety.

**Mont Blanc.** The nearest approach to a pure white Canna; the flowers open cream white and fade to pure white. It blooms early and continuously; height 3 feet.

**Mlle. Berat.** The nearest approach to a pink in a first-class bedder. The effect is very fine when planted with the yellow and bright red varieties; height 4 feet.

**Queen Charlotte.** A gilt-edged variety with large trusses of beautiful bright orange scarlet flowers, edged with golden yellow; height 3 feet.

**Robusta.** A popular variety, with immense, massive, tropical bronze foliage, grown for foliage effect only; height 6 feet.

**Triumph.** A handsome shade of rich deep crimson; large erect flowers in bold trusses; height 3 feet.

**Wm. Bofinger.** Very large flowers of a rich bright scarlet, shading to orange; height 3½ feet.

#### NEW ORCHID-FLOWERED CANNAS.

This distinct race is remarkable for large flowers of splendid substance and magnificent colorings; the plants are immense with broad massive foliage.

**Allemania.** Extra large flowers frequently measuring 6 inches across; outer petals salmon-scarlet, with broad margin of golden yellow; inside petals dark salmon red dotted and marked with yellow; height 5 to 6 feet.

**Burbank.** A strong grower and wonderfully profuse bloomer; color, rich canary yellow, with a few carmine spots in the throat; height 6 feet.

**La France.** Bronzy red foliage with a rich lustrous appearance. Plant is a strong grower with beautiful flowers of a rich orange-scarlet color; height 5 feet.

**Mrs. Kate Gray.** A strong growing variety with giant flowers of deep brilliant orange color. Very free blooming; height 5 feet.

**Pennsylvania.** One of the tallest growing giant-flowering sorts, with deep rich scarlet flowers produced in abundance; deep green foliage of enormous size; height 7 feet.

**Wyoming.** Might be called King of the Giants, for it is one of the most majestic. It has an abundant growth of rich purplish foliage, and great plumes of massive orange colored blossoms; height 7 feet.

#### CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.

(Elephant's Ear.)

A handsome tropical-looking plant from 5 to 6 feet high, with leaves 2 to 3 feet long and 1 to 2 feet wide; fine for single specimens on the lawn or centers of beds. They should have very rich soil, and plenty of water to obtain the best results. Large bulbs started, 25 to 50 cents each.

#### CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA, or Dusty Miller.

A well-known old-fashioned plant with graceful leaves of a silvery white color, easily grown and much used for bordering beds of Geraniums, Coleus, etc. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.

**COLEUS, FANCY.****Fancy Coleus.**

This beautiful family of ornamental foliage plants has been steadily increasing in beauty and diversity of color for a few years past, until now it seems as if there was no degree of shading, blending or contrasting of color that may not be found in them. They are of the easiest culture either in pots or bedded out, and so cheap as to be within the reach of all. We have a fine collection of the handsomest varieties in cultivation.

Price, 5 cts each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.

**COLEUS, BEDDING VARIETIES.**

The following varieties are the well-known sorts so much used for foliage beds, ribbon lines, etc.

**Verschaffeti.** Crimson.

**Firebrand.** Deep crimson; strong grower.

**Sheley's Yellow.** A strong growing yellow variety.

Price, 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.

**CALLA LILY.**

**Ethiopica.** The well known Calla Lily.

25 cts. to \$1.00 each, according to size.

**Little Gem.** A dwarf form of the above, seldom growing over a foot in height.

25 cts. each.

**DRACENA.**

**Indivisa.** (Fountain Plant.) A useful decorative plant, much used for center of vases, baskets, etc. It stands full exposure to the sun

and contrasts beautifully with flowering or foliage plants.

25 cts. to \$3.00 each according to size.

**Dracena Indivisa.**



## DAHLIAS.



Dahlias.

No flower is more generally known or easier to grow than the Dahlia, and while some of the varieties of our grandmother's garden are still grown, the increasing number of varieties being introduced each year make it difficult to select a list embracing the best for general culture; we have annually tested the most prominent introductions and find the following to be among the best if not "the" best of their respective colors. The culture of Dahlias is simple, the leading requirements being rich soil, sunshine and plenty of water. If dormant roots are used, plant out May 1st to 10th; if growing plants, plant out May 20th to June 20th. The best results are ob-

tained by removing all shoots but one, confining the plant to one main stem and pinching out the top when about a foot high, which will cause the plant to branch out in tree shape enabling it to stand the winds and flower freely.

Strong growing plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

We are usually able to supply dormant roots of most varieties at same price as growing plants.

#### SHOW AND DECORATIVE DAHLIAS.

**A. D. Livoni.** A beautiful, clear pink quilled variety of perfect form. Very free blooming.

**Arabella.** An early and free flowering variety of large size and perfect form; color, pale primrose shaded lavender.

**Catherine Duer.** Very large flowers opening out flat and showing no center; color, a beautiful and glowing red.

**C. W. Bruton.** A fine bright yellow decorative variety.

**Fire Rain.** A valuable addition to the list of decorative varieties, both for general display or for cutting. In this new variety, which was sent out by a German specialist, we have not only the rich cardinal red color, which is now so popular, but a plant that produces masses of bloom early and continuously throughout the season.

**Matchless.** A strong and vigorous variety of dwarf compact growth, with large rich velvety maroon flowers.

**Miller's Red.** A grand decorative Dahlia of immense size. The color is a rich crimson-scarlet. A fine variety for cutting, as the flowers are borne on long stems.

**Mrs. Winters.** A fine snow-white; a grand cut-flower.

**Nymphaea.** A beautiful variety resembling a delicate pink water lily.

**Oriental.** Large rich salmon-colored flowers of fine form and very double.

**Purity.** A beautiful pure white variety of fine form.

**Perle d'Or.** The finest white decorative variety yet introduced.

**Queen of Yellows.** The best large flowering clear yellow, show variety.

**Souv. de Gus. Doazon.** The largest Dahlia up to date. Under favorable conditions will produce flowers 9 inches in diameter. These immense flowers are borne in profusion from early in the season until frost; color, scarlet.

**Storm King.** An early, continuous and free bloomer, of strong constitution and dwarf branching habit. The flowers are pure white, of regular outline and very double, and are freely produced on long stems, making it a fine variety to grow for cut flowers.

**Wm. Agnew.** Rich dazzling carmine-red; a grand flower.

#### CACTUS DAHLIAS.

**Capstan.** A remarkably free flowering Cactus variety; color, soft orange-scarlet shaded apricot.

**Countess of Lonsdale.** A splendid variety, flowering freely under all conditions; color, a pleasing blending of salmon pink and amber.

**Country Girl.** A free and early blooming Cactus variety with flower of large size and broad pointed petals; color, golden yellow suffused with salmon rose.

**Floradora.** A grand new Cactus Dahlia of remarkably free flowering habits. The plant is a strong grower, producing its large distinct blood-red flowers on long stems, making it invaluable for cutting.

**Flora.** An ideal white Cactus variety, a large, heavy flower produced on long stiff stems; makes it valuable for cutting.

**Kreimhilde.** An exquisite and delicate shell pink, shading to white at the center. Without question the finest and most perfected pink Cactus variety in cultivation, and as a cut-flower is unsurpassed by any.

**Marjorie Castleton.** A very pretty and free flowering Cactus variety of handsome coloring; outer petals rose pink, tips and central florets pure white.

**Prince of Yellows.** A rich canary yellow.

**Roland Von Berlin.** A handsome and brilliant Cactus Dahlia of an intense geranium red shade.

**Standard Bearer.** Rich fiery scarlet. A very free blooming Cactus variety.

**Strahlen Krone.** The handsomest and most perfect variety. The petals are long and curiously twisted, giving it a very graceful appearance; color, intense cardinal red, rich and glowing.

Price: Strong growing plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### NEW CENTURY SINGLE DAHLIAS.

These varieties have all the characteristics of the popular variety, Twentieth Century, except in color.



Twentieth Century.

#### Twentieth Century.

A grand new variety valuable not only as a decorative flowering plant for the garden, but as a choice cut flower. The cut blooms bringing higher prices in the large city markets than Roses. The plant is of branching habit, strong growing and produces its flowers on stems two to three feet long. The flowers are rich deep carmine rose fading to white at the ends of petals with a white band at the disc, and measure four to six inches in diameter.

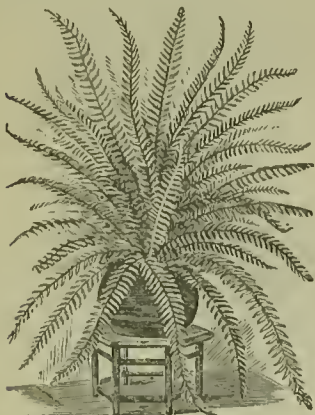
**Crimson Century.** A grand variety with deep rich velvety crimson flowers on long stiff stems.

**Sunset.** Large perfect flowers of a beautiful golden yellow and having a broad band of red around the disc. Price 15 cts each. The set of three varieties for 35 cts.

### FERNS.

We have a large collection of many different varieties of Ferns, but describe only those most generally known and which are best adapted to house culture.

**Adiantum Cuneatum.** (Maiden Hair.) A fine variety and one of the most useful and generally known.  
25 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Boston Fern.

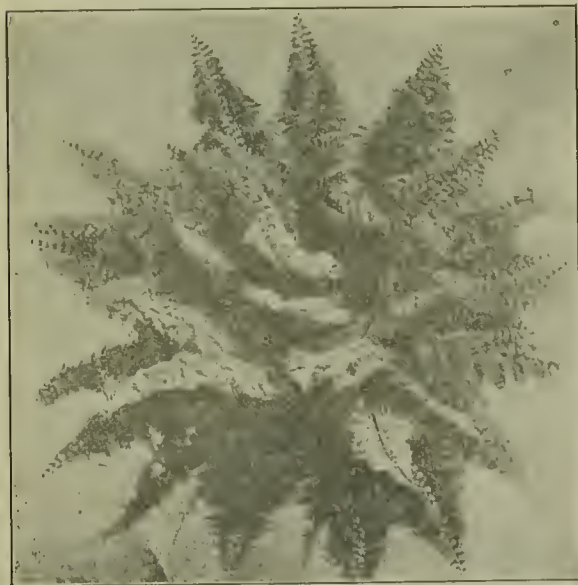
### BOSTON FERNS.

A variety of exceptional merit for house culture, as it stands the dry atmosphere of ordinary dwellings and soon makes fine specimens. In well grown plants the fronds frequently attain a length of 4 to 6 feet and arch gracefully. We grow these in large quantities, and have a large stock of the different sizes at all times.

Strong plants, 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

Large plants, 50 cts. to \$1.00.

Specimen plants \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.



Nephrolepis Whitmanii.

### NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANII.

Of the many Ostrich Plume or crested forms of the Boston Fern this is undoubtedly the best variety. In this the pinnae or leaflets are so finely divided that it reminds one of a piece of fine lace. The fronds are broad, dense and graceful. The habit of the plant is perfect, being of robust growth and quickly growing into fine specimens. The illustration gives only a faint faint idea of its great beauty.

Strong plants 25 cts. each. Large specimens 50 cts. to \$3.00 each.



**Holly Fern.** (*Cyrtomium Falcatum.*) A desirable strong growing variety for house culture with rich glossy green foliage.  
15 cts. to 50 cts. each.

**Pteris Tremula.** A useful variety with large fronds. 15 cts. each.

#### FERN DISHES.

We have at all times pans filled with an assortment of ferns and mosses, which can be used in any Fern Dish. When ordering, please state width and depth of dish. 35 cts. to \$1.50 each, according to size and quality.

#### FEVERFUE or BRIDAL ROSE.

An old-fashioned plant but still one of the standbys for the production of summer cut-flowers; large very double, pure white, button-like flowers borne in large clusters.

5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.

#### FUCHSIAS.

These are too well known to require any description. Their requirements are simple and few and when these are looked after as they should be, fine plants will result. They require partial shade and to be well staked as the branches are very brittle and easily broken by the wind. They give excellent results in window and veranda boxes on the north side and in combination with Tuberous Begonias make a charming effect. We have a good collection in single and double white, pink, purple, etc.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.



(From a photo of our Geranium House taken May 18th, 1908.)

## GERANIUMS.

These are probably the most satisfactory bedding plants grown, while at the same time are equally satisfactory as house plants. The great advance in form and coloring made in recent years have given us some charming varieties. Most Florists grow Geraniums in any old place, simply because they will stand a lot of neglect and grow after a fashion. We devote one whole modern house to them, besides considerable space in our other houses. While it costs considerable more to grow them in this way, our customers will find that a less number of our strong bushy plants in a bed will make a larger showing and give better satisfaction than a greater number of the weak, spindly plants usually sold as bedding Geraniums.

While we have a large number of varieties, only the best are listed below. Price:

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Strong plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

## SINGLE VARIETIES.

Alice of Vincennes. Border of intense scarlet, forming a band around the body color of soft rosy pink, heavily veined with scarlet, center white, very showy.

L'Aube. Pure white flowers in large trusses.

Leon Perault. Immense trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers.

Richmond Beauty. Brilliant scarlet-crimson with large white feather on upper petals.

Wurttemberg. Clear orange-scarlet; one of the best single bedding varieties grown.

Alph. Ricard. Bright vermilion scarlet, large florets and trusses.

Beaute Poitevine. A grand bedder of the Braunt type; color, beautiful salmon.

## DOUBLE VARIETIES.

Countess Castries. Clear bright pink without a trace of lilac.

Frances Perkins. A grand bright pink bedding variety.

Heteranthe. One of the best semi-double bedding varieties; color, bright orange scarlet.

Jean Vaud. A fine pink bedder; dwarf stocky growth, strong stems, large trusses and a continuous bloomer.

John Doyle. Rich scarlet; very bright and effective.

La Favorite. A compact growing and free blooming variety of the purest white.

Marquis Castellaine. A combination of two shades of red; an ideal bedder.

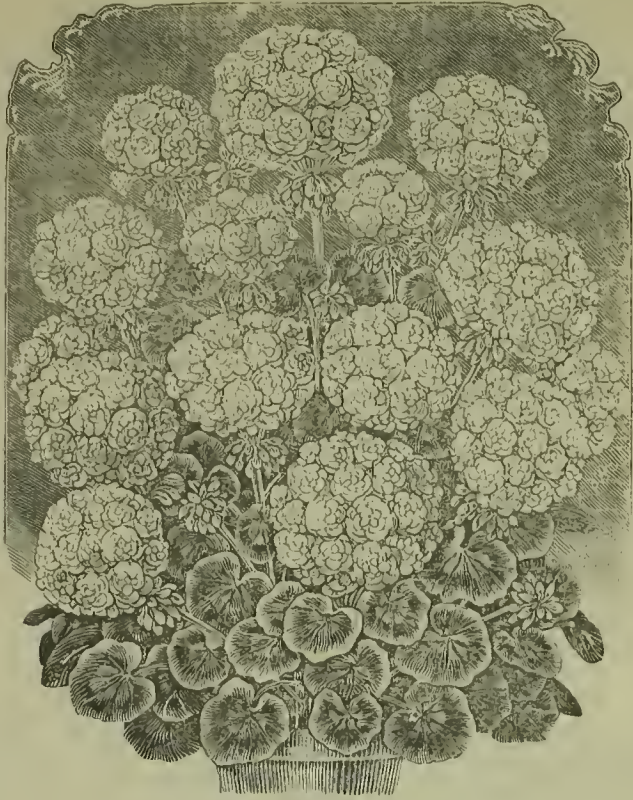
Marvel. Dark red; the largest and finest of its class.

Md. T. Noizet. A good bedding variety; old rose, shading to orange at the center.

Mme. Buchner. Double, pure white.

Md. Jaulin. Delicate peach pink with a wide border of pure white; flowers large and in immense trusses.

S. A. Nutt. The finest deep crimson variety.



Double Geranium.

#### IVY GERANIUMS.

A distinct and splendid class of Geraniums of trailing habit well adapted for baskets, vases or anywhere a trailing plant can be used. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### VARIEGATED GERANIUMS.

**Md. Salleri.** A compact growing, silver edged variety for bordering, massing, etc., and rarely exceeding six inches in height; leaves small clear green in color, edged with pure white. 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.

**Mrs. Parker.** Double flowering. A strong growing silver edged variety with beautiful trusses of exquisite rosy pink flowers. The foliage is deep green, broadly margined with silvery white. A good bedder.

**Wm. Lannuth.** Identical with the preceding except in color, which is a bright dazzling scarlet.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 3½ inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

**SCENTED GERANIUMS.**

Rose, Nutmeg Balm, Lemon and Pennyroyal scented varieties.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.



Gloxinia.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Strong plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

**HYDRANGEAS.**

An old favorite, producing large heads of flowers, lasting a long time.

**Otaksa.** This is the variety so extensively used for Easter decorations. It produces very large heads of pink flowers.

**Rosea.** Similar to above, except in color, which is a deep rose. 25 cts. to \$1.00 each, according to size.



PANSY—Giant Exhibition.

**GLOXINIA.**

Handsome summer blooming bulbs, with rich, luxuriant foliage, and remarkably rich, trumpet-shaped flowers, of the most chaste and elegant colors.

Dry bulbs, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Started in pots, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

**HELIOTROPES.**

An old favorite of easy culture, doing equally well as bedding plants in the garden or as window plants for the house. They are delightfully fragrant and should be in every garden.

**LEMON VERBENA.**

A useful plant with highly scented foliage. The branches are very useful for bouquets, etc.

Small plants, 15 cts. each; large plants, 25 cts. each.

**MIGNONETTE.**

Mammoth Flowering.

On account of the difficulty in transplanting this popular annual, we grow them in pots so they may be planted without any check whatever.

Nicely started in pots, 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per dozen.



**PANSIES—Giant Exhibition.**

We have a fine strain of this popular plant grown from selected seed of the finest large flowered and richest colored Pansies, which for size, coloring and form cannot be excelled.

Strong plants from pots, 5 cts. each, 60 cts. doz. Transplanted from seed bed, 35 cts. doz.

**PALMS.**

These stately plants are now becoming indispensable for decorative purposes, for house or conservatory. Most of them are of easy culture, and increase in beauty from year to year. We have a number of other varieties, but offer only those best adapted to house culture.

**Cocos Weddelliana.** A graceful and elegant small Palm with gracefully arching leaves, made up of long, narrow segments of a rich green color. An excellent Palm for fern dishes, etc., being of slow growth, and lasting in perfection a long time.

Nice young plants from 2½ inch pots, 4 to 5 inches high, 25 cts. each. Larger plants 50 cts. to \$3.00 each.

**Cocos.****Kentia Belmoreana.**

**Kentia Belmoreana.** These are among the best of Palms for general cultivation, being free from disease of any kind, graceful in habit, with bright green foliage. As a decorative plant for the window, table or conservatory it has few equals.

**Kentia Forsteriana.** Very similar to Belmoreana, and having all its good qualities.

Nice young plants of either of the above Kentias, 6 to 8 inches high, 25 cts. each.

Large plants 50 cts. to \$5.00 each, according to size.

**Latania Borbonica.** The most desirable Palm for general cultivation, with beautiful divided fan-shaped leaves.

Nice young plants 4 to 5 leaves 6 to 8 inches high, 25 cts. each.

Large plants 50 cts. to \$5.00 each.

**Latania Borbonica.****CHINESE PRIMROSE.**

There is no plant more useful for winter blooming than the Chinese Primrose. They are of easy culture and thrive and bloom in any situation. We have them in different colors, white, pink, red, etc. 10 cts. to 25 cts. each.



PETUNIA—Double Fringed.

## PELARGONIUMS.

(Lady Washington or Pansy Geranium.)

This is one of the most beautiful plants for house culture or for planting in the garden; they produce large trusses of the most exquisite shades and colorings; they are strictly spring and early summer bloomers and can be had in bloom at no other time. We have a collection of several distinct varieties.

Strong plants from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.



Pelargonium.

## PRIMULA OBCONICA.

A free blooming Primrose, bearing heads of ten to fifteen flowers on long stems well above the foliage; flowers are pure white, shading to lilac. A fine house plant, and always in bloom. 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

## PETUNIA.

Double Fringed. Few plants equal these for bedding or house culture. They commence blooming early and continue all through the season. We have them in pure white, pink, purple, variegated, etc. Price: Strong plants from 2 inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz. Larger plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

## ROSES.

## TEA AND EVER BLOOMING VARIETIES.

We have one house 100 feet long devoted entirely to Roses and grow only such varieties as will succeed under ordinary conditions. While there are hundreds of varieties, we believe that those that are most satisfactory with us will also prove satisfactory to our customers.

Strong plants from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

From 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

**Bridesmaid.** The most popular of all Tea Roses, more flowers being sold of this variety than any other. The color is a rich deep pink.

**Clothilde Soupert.** A compact, vigorous growing variety, and very free flowering, even the smallest plants being covered with buds and flowers. Its form and substance are perfect. The color is a beautiful pearl-white, deepening to rosy blush in the center. A fine plant for pot culture or bedding.

- Duchesse de Brabant.** A valuable free blooming variety of a silvery pink color. A good bedding variety, and very fragrant.
- Etoile de France.** The best and sweetest Hybrid Tea of its color; a fine upright bush with deep green foliage and fine large cup-shaped flowers on long stems; color, rich velvety crimson.
- Gruss an Teplitz.** A queen among bedding varieties on account of its fine rich color and free blooming qualities, succeeding under ordinary conditions. Its color is rich scarlet shading to deep velvety crimson. The mass of color produced is simply wonderful and the foliage also is beautiful, all the young growth being a bronzy plum color. Very fragrant.
- Golden Gate.** A strong growing variety; flowers light creamy yellow edged with pink.
- Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.** One of the most beautiful of all for garden culture; a strong healthy grower and a continuous bloomer, elegant pointed buds, large full and very double flowers, very fragrant; color, creamy white.
- Killarney.** This is the most popular ever blooming Rose now before the public; the flowers are of large size with thick petals of great substance and delightful fragrance and of a beautiful shade of deep shining shell pink. The plants make strong upright bushes with deep bronzy green foliage.
- Mad. Abel Chatenay.** This grand new perpetual blooming variety is of great beauty; the flowers are very full and double; color, carmine rose shaded salmon.
- My Maryland.** A new American variety with flowers of a beautiful salmon-pink color and very fragrant; the growth is strong and vigorous with rich healthy foliage.



- Purle des Jardins.** Rich yellow; beautiful large flowers of perfect form. The most popular yellow Rose for winter blooming.
- The Bride.** A strong growing, free flowering variety, for pot culture or bedding.
- Maman Cochet.** A very strong growing variety, producing flowers in the greatest profusion; color, deep rose pink, inner side of petals silvery rose, very double.
- White Maman Cochet.** Identical with the preceding, except in color. An ideal bedding variety.
- Richmond.** The best general purposed Rose in cultivation; fine shaped buds; color, rich scarlet-crimson.
- White Killarney.** Identical with Killarney in all respects except color, which is pure white.

#### HARDY AND HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

Many of the varieties of Roses offered by firms farther south as perfectly hardy are tender in this climate and almost sure to kill to the ground even with the best of protection, which all Roses should have in this climate. As many of the best varieties are increased only by grafting on strong growing root stocks, care should be taken to have them planted deep, so that the part where the branches join the main stem will be three inches below the surface of the soil. All hardy Roses should be severely pruned before planting and also each year before the growth starts in the spring, removing all weak growth and cutting back all strong canes at least one half. We list only the varieties which are hardiest and best in this section and among these will be found some of the best that can

be grown anywhere. Customers will not be disappointed by leaving the selection of varieties to us, merely mentioning the colors desired. Although we have a large stock we occasionally run short of some varieties before the selling season closes, therefore purchasers will please state if they wish us to substitute in case all of the varieties ordered cannot be supplied. Price: Strong 2-year-old plants 50 cts. each, \$4.50 doz.

We have a lighter grade of some varieties at 35 cts. each, \$4.50 per doz.

**Alfred Columb.** Brilliant earmine-erim on. Very large, full and of fine globular form, very fragrant and an extra fine sort.

**Anna de Diesbach.** Clear, bright carmine; a beautiful shade, very large flowers and one of the hardiest.

**Baron Prevost.** Clear bright rose color, an old variety but still one of the best.

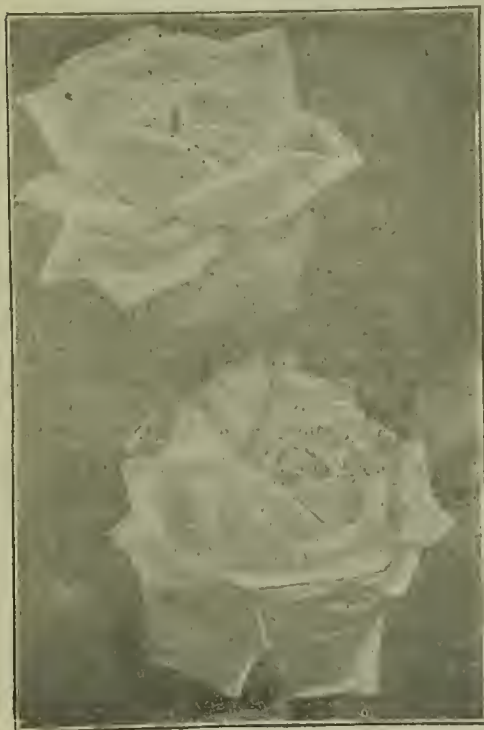
**Fisher Holmes.** Deep glowing crim on large and of fine form.

**Frau Karl Druschki.** This is an ideal hardy white Rose, pure in color and perfect in form; a strong grower and very free flowering.

**Gen. Jacqueminot.** Brilliant shining crimson. The most popular of all hardy Roses.

**Hugh Dickson.** Brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; large, very fragrant and free blooming.

**John Hopper.** Brilliant Rose, changing to pink; flowers large, fragrant and freely produced.



Margaret Dickson.

**Margaret Dickson.** A lovely shining white variety, with large well shaped flowers. A strong vigorous grower.

**Madam Plantier.** Pure white flowers produced in abundance, early in the season. Small shining green foliage. Very hardy.

**Md. G. Luizot.** Silvery pink, very fine.

**Mrs. John Laing.** Delicate pink; fragrant and a continuous bloomer.

**Persian Yellow.** Bright yellow flowers, rather small; the best hardy yellow Rose.

**Prince Camille de Rohan.** Deep velvety crimson maroon shaded red.

**Soliel D'or, or Golden Sun.** A real hardy golden yellow Rose. The result of a cross between the Persian Yellow and a Hybrid Perpetual variety. It retains



a good deal of the character of the Persian Yellow, but with larger and more plentiful foliage. The flowers are large, full and double and of a coloring difficult to describe, the flowers varying in color from gold and orange to reddish gold, shaded with Nasturtium red.

**Ulrich Brunner.** Bright cherry-red flowers large and full; a strong grower and always does well.

Price: Strong 2-year old plants 50 cts. each, \$4.50 per doz.

#### MOSS ROSES.

Strong plants of the following varieties, 50 cts. each, \$4.50 per doz.

**Comtesse de Murinais.** One of the best pure white Moss Roses. The buds are finely mossed; flowers large and fragrant.

**Crested Moss.** Deep pink colored buds, surrounded with a mossy fringe and crest. A fragrant and beautiful Rose.

#### HARDY CLIMBING ROSES.

**Crimson Rambler.** This new and distinct climbing variety, about which so much has been said, has fully justified itself in growth and bloom. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, growing 8 to 10 feet in a single season; the individual flowers are about 2 inches in diameter and are borne in large pyramidal clusters of thirty to forty blossoms; the color is a rich glowing crimson.

**Dorothy Perkins.** A most remarkable new variety of strong vigorous growth, flowering profusely in large clusters; very fragrant and lasting; color, soft shell pink; a grand Rose in every way.

**Lady Gay.** A New Pink Rambler. This most desirable variety is a seedling of the Crimson Rambler which it resembles in all respects except color; the flowers are numerous, of good size and are delicately perfumed. The color is a rich cerise pink, passing with age to a soft tinted white, the effect of a plant in full bloom with the combination of soft white flowers, cherry-pink buds, and the deep green of the foliage is indeed charming.

**Trier.** A New White Rambler. A strong growing climber on the general order of the Crimson Rambler but with large clusters of soft tinted flowers changing to pure white, nice and full, but opening to show a large cluster of yellow stamens. It is exceedingly pretty and deserves a place in every garden.

Strong 2-year-old plants 50 cts. each.

#### THE BABY RAMBLER ROSES.

A very popular addition to the class of bedding Roses. These are not climbing or rambling Roses, as the name suggests, but dwarf or bush forms of the Crimson and other ramblers. They produce dwarf compact bushes about 18 inches in height with clean bright foliage which is remarkably free from insect troubles or disease. The most remarkable feature of this variety is freedom of bloom, being never out of bloom from early spring until heavy frosts. The individual flowers are about two inches in diameter and borne in clusters. We have them in three colors as follows:

**Crimson Baby Rambler.** Crimson flowers, similar to the popular climbing Crimson Rambler.



**Baby Rambler Rose.**

**Pink Baby Rambler.** (Annie Muller.) Large clusters of brilliant rose-colored flowers.

**White Baby Rambler.** (Catherine Zeimet) Flowers pure white, when open, showing the yellow stamens prettily.  
Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each.

#### **RUGOSA ROSES.**

An interesting class of Japanese origin, with large single flowers. The plants are very ornamental on account of their vigorous growth and beautiful glossy green foliage. They bloom nearly the whole summer, and are covered during autumn and winter with bright red seed pods.

**Rugosa Alba.** Large pure white flowers, of delicious fragrance.

**Rugosa Rosea.** Large rose-colored flowers, tinged with violet. A stronger growing variety than the preceding.  
Strong plants 50 cts. each.



Salvia.

foliage much used for bouquets, table and room decoration, etc. 15c. each.

**VERBENAS.**

(Mammoth Varieties.)

One of the most showy plants for the garden, blooming incessantly all through the season. Our collection embraces all shades and colors known to the Verbena. Plants from pots, 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz. Transplanted, 35 cts. per doz.



Verbena.

**SALVIA OR SCARLET SAGE.**

This grand bedding plant will keep the garden bright with its brilliant scarlet flowers until late in autumn. It is also useful as a pot plant or in window boxes, and as a cut flower is useful to give color.

Price: 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz. Larger plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

**SMILAX.**

A graceful climbing plant, with glossy green foliage, etc. 15c. each.

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**VINCA MAJOR.**

(Variegated.)

One of the finest trailing plants in cultivation for baskets, vases, etc. The leaves are green broadly margined with pure white. Flowers blue

Small plants, 10 cts. each.

Large plants, with long vines, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

**WANDERING JEW.**

(Tradescantia.)

The well-known creeping plants so useful for baskets, vases, etc., or for house culture. It will grow in water or soil in any situation. We have them in three varieties, plain green variegated white and green, and variegated green, white and pink 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

# ANNUAL PLANTS.

**TRANSPLANTED FROM SEED BEDS.****Branching Aster.**

Asters. Comet, Carlson's, Victoria, Mikado, Branching, Purity, Daybreak, etc., in separate colors or mixed, 25 cts. doz.

Antirrhinum. (Snapdragon.) Mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Alyssum. (Sweet Alyssum.) White, 25 cts. per doz.

Balsam. Double-flowered, mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Castor Oil Plant. (Ricinus.) Best varieties, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz.

Coxcomb. (Glasgow Prize.) Best crimson, 50 cts. per doz.

Chrysanthemum. (Painted Daisy.) Mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Cosmos. Large flowering mixed colors, 35 cts. per doz.



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- Dianthus.** Diadem Pink.) Single mixed, 25 cts. per doz. Double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.
- Gaillardia.** Double, mixed colors, 25 cts. per doz.
- Lobelia.** Compacta, 25 cts. a doz. From pots, 50 cts. doz.
- Marigold.** (Double African.) Tall growing, 25 cts. per doz.
- Marigold.** (Double French.) Dwarf growing, 25 cts. per doz.
- Mignonette.** Large flowering, 25 cts. per doz. From pots 50 cts. per doz.
- Nasturtium.** Tall or dwarf, 25 cts. per doz. From pots, 50 cts. per doz.
- Pansy.** An excellent strain. 35 cts. per doz. From pots, 60 cts. per doz.
- Petunia.** Striped, mottled and flaked 35 cts. per doz.
- Petunia.** (Giants of California.) 50 cts. per doz.
- Phlox Drummondii.** Large flowering, mixed colors. 25 cts. per doz.
- Salpiglossis.** Fine mixed colors. 50 cts. per doz.
- Scabiosa.** (Sweet Scabious.) Double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.
- Stocks.** (Ten Weeks). Double mixed colors, 35 cts. per doz. From pots, 50 cts. per doz.
- Verbena.** Mammoth varieties. Mixed colors, 35 cts. per doz. From pots, 60 cts. per doz.
- Zinnia.** Large flowering, double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.

All annual plants, except those from pots, will be safely sent by mail, postpaid, when so desired.

For \$1.00 we will send charges prepaid, a collection of 50 mixed annuals containing a selection of easily grown plants, that will bloom freely and make a good sized garden attractive all through the season.

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## Summer Vines and Climbers.

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- Cobaea Scandens.** A rapid growing climber, with handsome bell-shaped flowers. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.
- German Ivy.** A rapid growing vine with glossy green leaves; fine for baskets, vases, etc. 10 cts. each. \$1.00 per doz.
- English Ivy.** Small plants, 15 cts. each. Large plants, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.
- Madiera Vine.** A well known rapid growing vine with glossy green leaves and fragrant flowers.  
Dry bulbs, 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.  
Started in pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.
- Othonna Crassifolia.** A good basket plant of trailing habit, with thick fleshy leaves and yellow star-shaped flowers. 10 cts. each. \$1.00 per dozen.
- Kenilworth Ivy.** A quick growing, trailing plant, valuable for vases, baskets, etc. 10 cts. each.
- Smilax.** A graceful climbing plant with glossy green foliage, much used for bouquets, table and room decorations, etc. 15 cts. each.

## Bulbs for Spring Planting.

### GLADIOLUS.

The most attractive and best known of all summer-flowering bulbs. The wonderful improvements made in size, color and general beauty in the past few years are amazing, when compared with the varieties of several years ago. They are of the easiest culture and succeed in almost any soil. They should be planted as soon as the soil can be worked in the spring and for a succession of bloom, at intervals of two weeks until the middle of June. The bulbs should be taken up in the fall as soon as the tops have been killed with the frost and stored in a dry frost-proof cellar until spring.

**America.** By far the most vigorous and easily grown Gladiolus known. It is conceded by all to be the best variety for bedding and cutting ever sent out. The color is a beautiful soft shell-pink, orchid like in coloring and texture. Large blooming bulbs 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per dozen.

**Augusta.** Lovely pure white, with blue anthers. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

**Attraction.** Deep, rich crimson with a very conspicuous white throat. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Brenchleyensis.** An old stand-by, vermilion scarlet. 5 cts. each; 50 cts per doz.

**Deborah.** Dark red tinged with amaranth, white band through the petals, large white throat. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Eugene Scribe.** Tender rose blazed with carmine red. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Klondyke.** Light yellow, crimson maroon blotch. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**May.** A lovely pure white flower, flaked with rosy crimson. 5 cts. each \$1.00 per doz.

**Md. Monneret.** A grand variety, delicate rose. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

**Octoroon.** A beautiful salmon-pink very distinct. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per dozen,

**1900.** A rich shade of red with prominent white spots on three lower petals. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

**Wm. Falconer.** Spike of great length and enormous size, beautiful clear light pink. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Groff's Hybrids.** This magnificent strain has a world-wide reputation and is the result of many years patient work by a careful hybridizer. We offer these in two grades:

**Gold Medal Hybrids.** The finest and best of Mr. GROFF'S creations. It is prepared with the view of providing the amateur with the best collection of the modern Gladiolus. Finest mixed, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Silver Trophy Strain.** This selection is from the earlier hybrids of Mr. Groff and while not as fine as the preceding, so great is the diversity of color that there is practically no risk of getting two alike. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.

#### TUBEROSES.

A beautiful and delightfully fragrant summer flowering bulb, and very easily grown. For early blooming they may be started in the hotbed or the house in March and for succession of flowers may be planted every two weeks until July, or they may be planted in the open ground in June.

**Excelsior Pearl.** Beautiful spikes of double pure white fragrant flowers. Fine large bulbs, 5 cts. each, 3 for 10 cts., 35 cts. per doz. Started in pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### HARDY LILIES.

Plant in the open ground not less than 5 inches deep the larger kinds deeper. The beds should be underdrained if inclined to be wet. If the soil is heavy or compact, sand or coal ashes should be well worked in the soil to lighten it. Although all are hardy, the beds should be well covered with leaves or manure to the depth of 8 or 10 inches, in the fall.

**Auratum.** (Gold Banded Lily). One of the most fragrant and beautiful Lilies grown. The flowers are of the largest size, measuring nearly a foot across, of a pure white, with crimson spots, while a band of golden yellow runs through each petal. Strong bulbs, 35 cts. each.

**Candidum.** (St. Joseph's Lily.) Pure white; very fragrant. Should be planted in September. 10 cts. each. \$1.00 per doz.

**Speciosum, or Lancifolium.** The most popular Lily grown; of easy culture and producing flowers of delicate colors. 35 cts. each.

**Speciosum Album.** Pure white, 35 cts. each.

**Speciosum Rubrum.** White ground, spotted red, with a band of crimson on each petal. 25 cts. each.

**Triginum.** (Tiger Lily). Orange, spotted black. 10 cts. each.

## Select List of Hardy Herbaceous Plants.

This class of plants has become very popular of late years, as when once planted they grow and thrive and increase in value and beauty from year to year. The number of varieties has been so increased that one may, with careful selection, stock the garden with plants which will bloom in succession from early spring until heavy frosts. They are of the easiest culture, only requiring an ordinary garden soil, but as they remain in the ground from year to year, they will be greatly benefited by a mulch or covering of well-rotted manure, through the winter, which should be well worked into the soil around the plants in the spring. We have a fine collection of the best and most suitable for this climate.

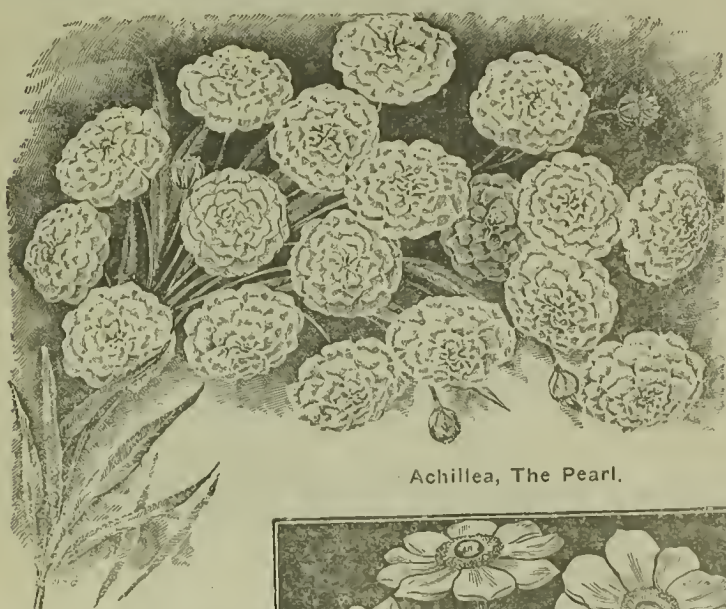
We have many varieties not mentioned in the following list, and when customers are in want of varieties for special purposes, such as the wild garden, among shrubbery or for rock work, we should be pleased to submit a list of such as are suited for this purpose, on application, with special prices for large lots.

For those not acquainted with the different varieties, we offer collections.

Six distinct varieties for \$1.00, our selection of sorts.

Fifteen distinct varieties for \$2.00, our selection of sorts.

Twenty-five distinct varieties for \$3.00, our selections of sorts.



Achillea, The Pearl.

#### ACHILLEA, THE PEARL.

A profuse and continuous blooming old garden favorite, with pure white double daisy-like flowers on long stems. Valuable for cutting. Strong clumps, 20c. each.

#### ANEMONE JAPONICA.

One of the finest and most beautiful hardy plants. A single plant in moderately rich soil will grow to a height of three feet and two feet in diameter, producing hundreds of their well-formed flowers, commencing in August and continuing until cut down by the heavy frosts. The roots should be covered with leaves or other material during winter.





**Alba.** Pure white, with yellow center. 25 cts. each.

**Rosea.** Purplish rose, with yellow center. 25 cts. each.

**Queen Charlotte.** A grand acquisition. The plants are of a strong robust growth, more vigorous than the older varieties, and commence to bloom much earlier. The flowers are large, two to three inches in diameter, and of a beautiful satin rose color.

**Whirlwind.** A semi-double variety; pure white. 25 cts. each.

### AQUILEGIA.

(Columbine.)

A popular group of hardy plants with a grace and beauty which never fails to attract attention. We have about a dozen varieties in white, scarlet, yellow and blue colors. 20 cts. each.

**Chrysantha.** (Golden Spurred Columbine.) Large canary-yellow flowers, with long spurs; blooms all summer.

### CLEMATIS RECTA.

A robust hardy plant growing to a height of 3 to 4 feet and completely covered in June and July with very large panicles of small fragrant white flowers. 20 cts. each.

### CAMPANULA (Bellflower).

Elegant and useful plants of the easiest culture, with handsome bell-shaped flowers of rich colors, produced in abundance. Double and single, various colors, hardy biennials, 20 cts. each.



**Coreopsis Lanceolata.**

**Persicifolia.** (Peach Bells.) An elegant variety, growing 18 inches to 2 feet in height and producing an abundance of blue salver shaped flowers in June and July.

**Persicifolia Alba.** A pure white form of the above.

**Media.** (Canterbury Bells.) An old-time favorite, completely covered during July with large bells of various colors. Strong blooming plants, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

### COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA.

One of the best hardy plants. Large golden yellow flowers on long slender stems, produced in abundance all through the season. Very hardy and will thrive in any situation.

Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.



Perennial Larkspur.

**DELPHINIUM.**

Perennial Larkspur.

**Formosum.** A stately and attractive plant, growing to a height of 4 to 5 feet. Its long spikes of bright blue flowers are produced continually all summer. 25 cts. each.

**Coelestinum.** A beautiful variety with pale blue flowers, 25 cts. each.

**GAILLARDIA****GRANDIFLORA.**

One of the most satisfactory hardy plants grown. The flowers are shaped like a small, single sunflower. The center of flower is a brownish red, with a ring of brilliant scarlet crimson at base of petals, the ends orange yellow.

This combination of colors produces a gorgeous effect. Very free blooming from July till frost. One of the finest flowers for cutting. 25 cts. each.

**HELENIUM AUTUMNALE.**

A valuable hardy perennial growing 3 to 5 feet high, with immense heads of bright golden, star-shaped flowers, produced in abundance in autumn. 25 cts. each.

**HELIANTHUS.**

(Double Perennial Sunflower.)

**Multiflorous fl. pl.** A useful and beautiful hardy plant, growing about 4 feet high, and producing large, golden-yellow flowers as large and well formed as a good show Dahlia. Very free, blooming from July till heavy frost. An excellent flower for cutting. Strong clumps, 25 cts. each.

**LAWRENCE'S FINE DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK.**

Our selections of this most effective old hardy garden plant are unsurpassed. For many years this has been a specialty with us, annually buying seed from the best growers in this and European countries until we now have a collection that is perfection in form, large size and handsome color-

ings. We do not offer pot plants, but strong field grown roots that will bloom the first season. We have them in separate colors. White, yellow, pink, crimson and variegated. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### GERMAN IRIS.

This interesting group of hardy plants is remarkable for their quaintly marked and curiously constructed flowers. They are of the easiest culture and may be planted in low wet places. They flower abundantly in June. We have a fine collection in many different varieties. 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

#### PAPAEVER OR HARDY POPPY.

**Orientele.** (Oriental Poppy.) Undoubtedly the showiest and most striking hardy flower grown. The flowers are 4 to 6 inches across, of a bright scarlet color, with black blotch at base of each petal, and borne on stems 2 to 3 feet long. 20 cts. each.

**Nudicaule.** (Iceland Poppy.) A beautiful, dwarf-growing, hardy Poppy, with fern-like foliage. The flowers are cup-shaped and borne on slender stems, about a foot in length. They bloom continually from early spring until heavy frosts. A fine flower for cutting. We have them in separate colors, white, orange, scarlet and yellow. Plants from pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.; clumps, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

### PAEONIES.

#### Herbaceous Varieties.

This noble flower, so brilliant in color and perfection of bloom, almost rivals the rose, increasing in beauty and form from year to year. The plant is of good form and outline, as hardy as a dandelion and as sure to bloom. I have a good bed of them in the new and old varieties, which are a beautiful sight when in bloom. The cut-blooms are very popular, and sell at 50 cts. to \$1.00 per doz. Many of them are fragrant.

Strong plants, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., except where noted.

**Agida.** Rich glowing dark red.

**Alba plena.** Large double white, fragrant.

**Baroness Rothschild.** Violet rose with lighter shadings.

**Chrysanthemum Rosea.** A fine large deep rose pink with paler shadings in the center.

**Duc de Cazes.** Guard petals tyrian rose, center rose pink.

**Faust.** Flesh color, shaded. Very free blooming.

**Festiva.** Large pure white.

**Festiva Maxima.** The finest and largest white. It is perfection in form and free blooming qualities. 50 cts. each.

**Floral Treasure.** A large superb clear pink of perfect form. 50 cts.

**Humeii.** Large double purplish rose; very late.

**Lady Bramwell.** Beautiful silvery rose.

**Limbata.** Clear pink; very fine.

**Louis Van Houtte.** Brilliant crimson-maroon of good size.

**Modesta.** Deep rose, bright and showy; large and very double; fragrant.

**Officinalis rubra.** The old double red Piney, still one of the best.

**Pottsii.** Deep rose, early.

**PAEONY—Tenuifolia Plena.**

**Tenuifolia Plena.** Similar to above, with double crimson flowers. 75c. each.

**Victoria Tricolor.** Outside petals rose, center yellowish white streaked with red.

**Zoe Calot.** White suffused with delicate rose.

**Queen Victoria.** Pure white occasionally marked with small flakes of red.

**Rosea Superba.** Large deep rose, shading lighter to center.

**Rubra Triumphans.** Single and semi-double flowers of dark purplish crimson; early.

**Tenuifolia.** Fern-like foliage and deep crimson single flowers; early. ?

**PAEONY ARBOREA.**

(Tree Paeony.)

Handsome flowering shrub. The flowers are numerous and of immense size. Although hardy, the plants must be protected in this climate. \$1 each.

**PHLOX.**

(Flame Flower.)

**Hardy Phlox.**

This, like the Paeony, is a flower for the millions—something everybody can grow—and should be in every garden. It is of stately growth and vigorous habit. The flowers are of fine form and colors, and are produced in profusion during a long season. We have a first-class collection which consists of only varieties of distinct and decided colors. Our plants are strong field grown, and not to be compared with the small greenhouse propagated plants, usually sent out.

Price, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

**Beranger.** White delicately shaded rosy pink, amaranth red eye.

**Bridesmaid.** White with large cherry red eye, a fine flower and truss.

**Colibri.** White with crimson center; very late.

**Clara Benz.** Lovely carmine-rose with deeper eye.

**Coquelicot.** Very fine scarlet with crimson eye.

**Ec'arieur.** A fine variety with brilliant rosy magenta flowers.

**Frau Dora Umgeler.** Very rich deep rosy red, free-flowering, late.

**Graff von Ungerer.** Large flowers, white suffused with rosy lilac, dark center.



**H. O. Wijers.** Pure white with carmine eye.

**Jeanne d'Arc.** A fine late blooming white.

**La Vague.** Pure mauve with aniline red eye.

**Mrs. Jenkins.** A grand white, immense panicles, early and free blooming.

**Miss Lingard.** Extra early, pure white.

#### PHYSOSTEGIA.

(False Dragon Head.)

One of the most beautiful of our midsummer flowering perennials forming dense bushes, 3 to 4 feet high, bearing spikes of delicate tubular flowers, not unlike a gigantic heather.

**Virginica.** Bright pink.

**Alba.** Very fine pure white.

#### SHASTA DAISY.

The largest and finest of all the moonpenny daisies. It is the first of a new type and among its many good qualities are extreme hardiness, standing over severe winters without protection, adaptability to any and all soils, and freedom of bloom, blooming all through the summer and fall. The flowers are large and graceful, averaging 4 inches across with petals of pure glistening whiteness and yellow disc. On account of its long stems and extraordinary keeping qualities when cut, no other flower can compare with it in usefulness.

25 cts. each.

\$2.00 per doz.



Shasta Daisy.

## General List of Hardy Herbaceous Plants.

**Aconitum.** (Monkshood). A stately growing plant, 3 to 6 feet high with showy purple flowers in large panicles in August and September. 20 cts. each.

**Anthemis Tinctora.** (Hardy Golden Marguerite). A valuable plant of easy culture with clear yellow daisy-shaped flowers all through the season. Fine for cutting. 20 cts. each.

**Astilbe Japonica.** A handsome plant, with pretty feathery white flowers in May. 20 cts. each.

**Boltonia Latisquama.** A showy and beautiful perennial, blooming in late summer and fall. Handsome single aster-like flowers, on long, wiry stems; color, rosy lilac; strong clumps. 20 cts. each.

**English Daisy.** Double varieties in white, pink and red. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Golden Glow.** (Rudbeckia). The well known and easily cultivated plant. Strong clumps. 20 cts. each.

- Hardy Garden Carnation.** We have a splendid strain, all colors mixed. 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.
- Campanula.** (Bellflower). Elegant and useful plants of the easiest culture, with handsome bell-shaped flowers of rich colors produced in abundance.
- Digitalis.** (Foxglove). An old garden favorite and among the best of all plants for planting among shrubbery and in shady situations. 20 cts. each.
- Funkia Alba.** (Plaintain Lily.) A beautiful hardy plant, with handsome green foliage and fragrant pure white lily-like flowers, in large clusters. 20 cts. each.
- Gypsophila Paniculata.** (Baby's Breath.) An old-fashioned perennial plant forming a dense mass of very small pure white flowers, on large loose panicles, giving it a mist like appearance. Fine for cutting purposes in combination with other flowers. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.
- Hemerocallis Fulva.** (Lemon Lily.) A handsome and useful plant, with large lily-like flowers of a lemon-yellow color, on long stems. 25 cts. each.
- Hibiscus.** (Rose Mallow.) Valuable border plants, with large, showy rose-colored flowers in August. Growth 4 feet. 25 cts. each.
- Liatris.** Very showy and attractive plants, producing large spikes of rosy purple flowers, a peculiar feature of which is the flowers on the top of the spike open first. 20 cts. each.
- Lily of the Valley.** The well-known old hardy garden plant. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.
- Lychnis Chalcedonica.** A most desirable plant with heads of brilliant scarlet flowers; grows 2 to 3 feet high and blooms all summer. 20 cts. each.
- Myosotis.** (Forget-me-not.) The well-known beautiful little plants with star-like flowers of a beautiful azure blue color. 20 cts. each.
- Platycodon.** (Japanese Bell Flower.) Beautiful perennial plants with large blue and white bell-shaped flowers produced in abundance from spring until fall. 20 cts. each.

#### NEW GIANT HARDY PRIMROSE.

A true giant variety of the old fashioned Hardy English Primrose, being three times the size of the old variety, the average size of the individual florets being over one inch in diameter. It is perfectly hardy, grows about one foot in height and begins to bloom earlier and continues in bloom longer than any variety of the same family. It has the delicate yellow color and the fragrance of the old English Primrose. Strong plants 20 cts. each.

**Pyrethrum Ulginosum.** A fine autumn blooming perennial, growing to a height of 3 to 5 feet, and producing large sprays of single white flowers, with yellow center, resembling daisies, but much larger. Fine for cutting. An excellent companion plant to *Helenium autumnale*, both blooming at the same time. 20 cts. each.

**Pinks, Hardy Scotch.** Hardy dwarf pinks, large double fragrant flowers of rich color. 20 cts. each.

**Pink, Her Majesty.** A beautiful variety with large pure white flowers on long stems. 20 cts. each.

**Ranunculus.** Double yellow Buttercup or Bachelor's Button. 20 cts. each.

**Tritoma.** (Red Hot Poker.) Splendid plants, with flower stalks 4 to 5 feet high, with orange and scarlet tubulous flowers for a foot or more of its length. Should be wintered in a cool cellar. 35 cts. each.

**Valeriana.** (Garden Heliotrope.) Flowers bluish white, in large trusses. Useful for cutting. 20 cts. each.

- Veronica.** (Speedwell.) A good hardy perennial, with erect spikes of flowers, a foot or more in length. White and blue. 20 cts.
- Vinca Minor.** (Periwinkle, or Myrtle.) A trailing evergreen plant with blue flowers. 20 cts. each.

## HARDY VINES AND CLIMBERS.

### AMPELOPSIS.

- Quinquefolia.** (Virginia Creeper.) One of the finest vines for covering walls, trunks of trees or any unsightly object. The foliage becomes rich crimson in autumn. Strong plants, 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- Veitchii.** (Boston Ivy.) One of the handsomest clinging vines in cultivation. The leaves are three lobed and overlap one another, forming a dense sheet of green, changing to rich crimson in autumn. The plant is tender when young and should be protected the first two or three years. Strong plants, 35 cts. each.

### DUTCHMAN'S PIPE VINE. (*Aristolochia Sipho.*)

One of the handsomest and most satisfactory vines for this climate, for covering verandas, trellises, fences, etc. There is nothing to equal it. After becoming established the vines grow from 10 to 20 feet in a single season. They are remarkably free from insect pests and are perfectly hardy without

protection; the leaves are heart shaped, deep green in color and are frequently 10 to 12 inches in diameter. The flowers are of a peculiar greenish brown color and resemble in shape a crooked stem pipe.

Strong plants, 60 cts. each.

Strong 2-year-old plants, 75c. each.

Strong 3-year-old plants, 1.00 each.



Jackmanni.

### CLEMATIS.

These are among the most beautiful and satisfactory plants grown. They can be used in almost any situation, either on arbors, verandas or trellises, but to be seen to the best advantage they should be trained to individual trellises in the garden; they require a rich soil, and should be

mulched with well rotted manure every spring to give the best results. Although hardy they will be benefitted by covering in the fall.

**Henryi.** Very large flower; creamy white. One of the best. 50 cts. each.

**Jackmanni.** An abundant and successive blooming variety, of rapid growth, with large violet-purple flowers. A general favorite.

Strong plants, 75 cts. each.

**Lanuginosa.** Large, light lavender; very early. 50 cts. each.

**Clematis Paniculata.** A valuable new variety from Japan, and one of the most satisfactory hardy climbing plants grown. It is of very rapid growth with beautiful glossy deep green foliage, and small pure white star-shaped flowers which appear in great profusion in August and last until late in the fall. The plants succeed in almost any situation and will be found very useful for covering trellises, verandas, etc., or allowed to run over sloping banks among rock work, etc., the effect is beautiful. Strong roots, 50 cts. each.

**Virginiana.** Small, white flowers in dense masses; will grow rapidly in any situation. 25 cts. each.

#### HARDY MOON FLOWER.

##### *Ipomea Pandurata.*

A very rapid growing vine, which after becoming established grows to a height of thirty to forty feet. The vines branch freely and form a dense mat or screen thickly covered with large green heart-shaped foliage. The flowers white, shading through pink to purple in the throat and resemble large Morning Glories. Strong roots 20 cts. each.

## Hardy Ornamental Shrubs.

**Berberis Thunbergii.** (Barberry.) A beautiful dwarf variety from Japan. The foliage is small and assumes a great variety and beautiful tints of coloring in the autumn. Very desirable for grouping and a grand hedge plant. 35 cts. each.

#### LILAC.

##### *Syringa Vulgaris.*

**Vulgaris.** (Common Lilac.) Bluish purple flowers. 35 cts.

**Persica.** (Persian Lilac.) An excellent species, with small foliage, growing 4 to 6 feet high. Large panicles of purple flowers freely produced. 35 cts. each.

**Purple Fringe or Smoke Tree.** A desirable shrub; much admired for its curious fringe like flowers, that cover the whole plant, becoming like a cloud of smoke later in the season. 35 cts. each.

**Syringa or Mock Orange.** A desirable shrub, of vigorous habit, with fine, rich green foliage and beautiful white fragrant flowers, in dense clusters, in such profusion as to bear the branches down when in flower in June. 35 cts. each.

#### HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

This is the most popular hardy shrub of the day, and one of the easiest to grow. It does well in any and all soils, but the flowers will be larger and finer if given good, rich soil. The flowers are in immense panicles, creamy white when first opening, changing to pure white when fully open then turning to pink and bronze as the flower grows older. It blooms in August, and



remains in bloom until heavy frosts. At least half of the previous year's growth should be cut back each spring, as the flowers are much larger and finer when treated in this manner. We have a fine stock of extra strong plants at 50 cts. each, \$4.00 per doz.; smaller plants, 25 cts. and 35 cts. each, \$2.50 and \$3.50 per doz.



HYDRANGEA—Paniculata Grandiflora.

#### SPIRAEA.

(Meadow Sweet.)

Fine medium sized shrubs of easy culture and very hardy.

**Anthony Waterer.** A valuable and distinct variety of dwarf dense growth. The flowers are bright crimson and are freely produced all through the summer.

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**Chives.** An onion like plant, the leaves of which are much used in making salads, etc; perfectly hardy. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.

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**Egg Plants.** New York Improved, Early Dwarf, Purple, etc. Large plants grown in pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per dozen. Transplanted 50 cts. per dozen.

**Mint.** The well-known herb, the leaves of which are so much used for meat sauce. Clumps 20 cts. each.

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**Tomato Plants.** Livingston's Beauty, Spark's Earliana, Ponderosa, Early Jewell, Dwarf Champion, Stone, Matchless, etc. Transplanted, 25 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100. Large strong plants in patent plant boxes, which can be removed without disturbing the roots. 60 cts. per doz., \$4.50 per 100.

**Rhubarb.** (Pieplant.) Linneaus. The best variety, very tender, juicy and of superior flavor. Strong roots, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

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**Bone Meal.** A safe and valuable fertilizer for all plants. 1 lb., 10 cts.; 5 lb. package, 35 cts.; 10 lb. package, 50 cts.; 100 lb. bags, \$3.00. Price by the ton on application.

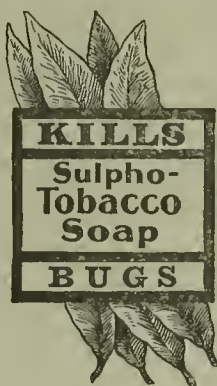
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